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Date: 3/18/64

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

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Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the original and three copies of a letterhead memorandum entitled "INFORMATION CONCERNING PAMPHLET ENTITLED 'NEO-COLONIALISM AND U.S. IMPERIALISM,' AUTHORED BY HENRY WINSTON, A VICE CHAIRMAN, COMMUNIST PARTY, USA, AND TO BE ISSUED BY THE 'WORLD MARXIST REVIEW.'" One copy of this letterhead memorandum is also being enclosed for the New York Office.

The information appearing in the enclosed letterhead memorandum was furnished on 3/16/64 by CG 5824-S* to SA RICHARD W. HANSEN.

The information in the enclosed letterhead memorandum was developed during discussion with NORMAN FREED, Communist Party (CP) of Canada representative to the "World Marxist Review," official theoretical organ of the international communist movement, Prague, Czechoslovakia, while that individual was in New York City 3/10-13/64. During the period of this visit, FREED held three meetings with CG 5824-S* on 3/10, 11 and 13/64, with GUS HALL, General Secretary, CP, USA, participating in the meeting of 3/11/64.

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PARTY, USA, AND TO BE ISSUED BY THE
"WORLD MARXIST REVIEW"

A source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, during mid-March, 1964, advised as follows:

The "World Marxist Review," official theoretical organ of the international communist movement, which headquarters at Prague, Czechoslovakia, is about ready to print and issue a pamphlet entitled "Neo-Colonialism and U.S. Imperialism." This pamphlet will carry the name of Henry Winston, a Vice Chairman, Communist Party, USA, as its author and will be initially published in English and then translated into the three other major languages - Russian, French and Spanish.

While Henry Winston is listed as the author of this pamphlet and the utilization of his name was considered essential in order to give the subject authority, the actual research work which went into the preparation and the physical work of preparing this document was done mostly by staff members of the "World Marxist Review." Winston, however, is fully aware of the contents of this pamphlet and did spend time going over the material with staff members of the "World Marxist Review" while he was in Prague, Czechoslovakia, during December, 1963.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

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Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the original and three copies of a letterhead memorandum entitled "COMMUNIST PARTY OF GREAT BRITAIN." One copy of this letterhead memorandum is also being enclosed for the New York Office.

The information appearing in the enclosed letterhead memorandum was furnished on 3/14/64 by CG 5824-S* to SAs RICHARD W. HANSEN and WALTER A. BOYLE.

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COMMUNIST PARTY OF GREAT BRITAIN

A source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, during mid-March, 1964, advised as follows:

Norman Freed, Communist Party (CP) of Canada representative to the "World Marxist Review," official theoretical organ of the international communist movement, which headquarters at Prague, Czechoslovakia, while en route to Canada for a vacation stopped over in Great Britain. During this stopover, he had met with John Gollan, General Secretary, CP of Great Britain. According to Freed, the essence of Gollan's remarks at this time was as follows.

The CP of Great Britain desires to be left alone and does not want to become involved in any way in the current ideological dispute between the CP of the Soviet Union and the CP of China. The CP of Great Britain is proud of the fact that this Party has not been diverted by the Sino-Soviet dispute and is happy that at its last convention this matter had not been taken up. Since the CP of Great Britain wants no part in this dispute and it, therefore, does not support at this time any conference or meeting of Communist and Workers Parties to discuss this problem.

In a recent meeting with Palmiro Togliatti, head of the CP of Italy, that individual also voiced opposition to a conference of Communist and Workers Parties. Togliatti feels that any such conference in 1964 would cause an irrevocable split in the socialist camp. He is also worried about the results such a conference would have on the internal situation within the Italian CP. It is for this reason then that Togliatti is currently raising within the Italian CP the slogan "Unity but diversity and autonomy." Togliatti favors only periodic consultative meetings of the world communist movement.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

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Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the original and three copies of a letterhead memorandum entitled "STATUS OF COMMUNIST PARTIES ALIGNED WITH THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CHINA." One copy of this letterhead memorandum is also being enclosed for the New York Office.

The information appearing in the enclosed letterhead memorandum was furnished on 3/14/64 by CG 5824-S* to SAs WALTER A. BOYLE and RICHARD W. HANSEN.

The information in the enclosed letterhead memorandum was developed during discussion with NORMAN FREED, Communist Party (CP) of Canada representative to the "World Marxist Review," official theoretical organ of the international communist movement, Prague, Czechoslovakia, while that individual was in New York City 3/10-13/64. During the period of this visit, FREED held three meetings with CG 5824-S* on 3/10, 11 and 13/64, with GUS HALL, General Secretary, CP, USA, participating in the meeting of 3/11/64.

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STATUS OF COMMUNIST PARTIES
ALIGNED WITH THE COMMUNIST
PARTY OF CHINA

A source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, during mid-March, 1964, advised as follows.

Based upon contacts with a number of leading representatives of Communist Parties from the European socialist countries and on a recent trip to Indonesia which had taken him through India and Ceylon where he had also met with leading Party people, Norman Freed, Communist Party (CP) of Canada representative to the "World Marxist Review," official theoretical organ of the international communist movement, which headquarters in Prague, Czechoslovakia, provided the following observations.

In their current ideological dispute with the CP of the Soviet Union, the CP of China could probably gather a maximum of ten parties, other than splinter groups from existing Communist Parties, that would come out and openly support their viewpoint. As a result, this would be the maximum number of parties that would be expected to line up behind the CP of China should the CP of the Soviet Union request and schedule an international conference of Communist and Workers Parties in an effort to resolve existing differences. The parties which at this time would reportedly support the CP of China are as follows: Albanian Party of Labor; Korean Party of Labor; the Communist Party of Japan; the Communist Party of Malaya; the Communist Party of New Zealand; the Communist Party of Indonesia; the Communist Party of Burma - this party, however is split, but the majority of the membership as well as the party's leadership side with the CP of China; the Communist Party of Ceylon -

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this party is also split with the majority of the leadership, though perhaps not the majority of the overall membership, being in the Chinese camp; the Workers Party of Viet Nam - this party is a subject of immense pressures from the CP of China and is caught in the middle. Because of geographical location, it depends upon the CP of China for all or most of its aid. It carries strong fears regarding invasion from South Viet Nam and, therefore, it feels that it cannot desert the CP of China if it expects protection and aid from the Peoples Republic of China. While HO Chi-minh, head of the party and leader of the country, personally does not favor a split within the world communist movement, the majority of his party's leadership are with the Chinese and will follow the CP of China.

While the CP of India still does not give majority support to the CP of China, the strength of the pro-Chinese element within that party has been increasing on a steady basis over the past few months.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

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Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the original and 3 copies of a letterhead memorandum captioned, "Visit of (First Name Unknown) Ciliaki, Italian Representative to the World Federation of Trade Unions, Prague, to United States, June, 1964." One copy of this letterhead memorandum is also enclosed for the New York Office.

The information appearing in the enclosed letterhead memorandum was furnished by CG 5824-S* on 3/16/64 to SA RICHARD W. HANSEN.

The information set forth in the enclosed letterhead memorandum was developed by CG 5824-S* as a result of a series of discussions held with NORMAN FREED, CP of Canada representative to the "World Marxist Review," during the course of that individual's visit to New York City 3/10-13/64. CG 5824-S* held separate meetings with FREED on 3/10 and 13/64 and a joint meeting with FREED and GUS HALL on 3/11/64.

On 3/12/64 in private discussion with GUS HALL, he noted that IRVING POTASH would be the Party representative designated to make arrangements to either contact CILIAKI and/or to see that someone else contacted him.

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VISIT OF (FIRST NAME UNKNOWN) CILIAKI,
ITALIAN REPRESENTATIVE TO THE WORLD
FEDERATION OF TRADE UNIONS, PRAGUE, TO
UNITED STATES, JUNE, 1964

A source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, in mid-March, 1964, advised as follows:

In June, 1964, (first name unknown) Ciliaki, an Italian citizen assigned to the World Federation of Trade Unions (WFTU) (a characterization of which appears in the Appendix hereto), which headquarters at Prague, Czechoslovakia, is scheduled to come to the United States to attend labor meetings being held at the United Nations in New York City. While Ciliaki works with the communists in the WFTU, he, himself, is not a member of the Communist Party (CP). During this visit to the United States by Ciliaki, the WFTU has requested that he be contacted by a representative of the CP, USA and that arrangements be made which will enable him to meet with trade union representatives in the United States representing both the right and the left in the trade union movement.

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ITALIAN REPRESENTATIVE TO THE WORLD
FEDERATION OF TRADE UNIONS, PRAGUE, TO
UNITED STATES, JUNE, 1964

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WORLD FEDERATION OF TRADE UNIONS

1. Cited as "part of a solar system of international Communist-front organizations which have been established in recent years * * *" "American supporters include the left-wing unions within the Congress of Industrial Organizations."

(Committee on Un-American Activities, House Report 1953 on the Congress of American Women, April 26, 1950, originally released October 23, 1949, p. 1.)

2. Cited as "Communist-dominated."
(Internal Security Subcommittee of the Senate Judiciary Committee, Handbook for Americans, S. Doc. 117, April 23, 1956, p. 93, also p. 59.)

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Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the original and three copies of a letterhead memorandum entitled "'WORLD MARXIST REVIEW,' OFFICIAL THEORETICAL ORGAN OF THE WORLD COMMUNIST MOVEMENT, PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA." One copy of this letterhead memorandum is also being enclosed for the New York Office.

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"WORLD MARXIST REVIEW," OFFICIAL
THEORETICAL ORGAN OF THE WORLD
COMMUNIST MOVEMENT, PRAGUE,
CZECHOSLOVAKIA

A source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, during mid-March, 1964, advised as follows.

As a result of negotiations carried on with Dipa N. Aidit, General Secretary, Communist Party (CP) of Indonesia, during January, 1964, an agreement was reached with representatives of the "World Marxist Review," official theoretical organ of the world communist movement, that the CP of Indonesia would translate the "World Marxist Review" into the Irian language and thereafter publish and distribute it in Indonesia. However, it was also noted that concurrent with this agreement, the CP of Indonesia also intended to translate into Irian and publish the "Peking Review," an official publication of the CP of China. The presently scheduled date for the translation and publication of both of these items into Irian is May 1, 1964.

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Date: 3/23/64

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)

SUBJECT: SOLO
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ReNYairtels, 3/2/64 and 3/11/64, concerning invitation of Soviets for NY 694-S* to visit the Soviet Union.

On 3/23/64, a ciphered-coded radio message was received from the Soviets, the plain text of which is as follows:

"Please clarify what kind of visa do you need from our embassies in Washington, D.C. and Zurich."

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1 - Mr. Belmont
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1 - Mr. Branigan
1 - Mr. Baumgardner
1 - Liaison
1 - Mr. Shaw

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

March 20, 1964

BY LIAISON

Honorable John A. McCone
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. McCone:

The following information was supplied by a source which has furnished reliable information in the past.

A meeting of leading Communist Party representatives of European communist bloc countries, excluding Albania, is scheduled to be held in early April, 1964. This meeting is being called for the purpose of discussing the current status of the Sino-Soviet dispute. Attendance at this meeting will be limited to representatives from European communist bloc countries; however, delegations from the Communist Parties of France and Italy may be invited since they represent the largest and most important Communist Parties in Europe outside of the communist bloc.

Because of the sensitive nature of our source, we have classified this communication "~~Top Secret~~." This information is being furnished to other interested officials of the Government.

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Sincerely yours,

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Honorable John A. McCone

NOTE:

Classified "~~Top Secret~~" because unauthorized disclosure of this information could result in exceptionally grave damage to the Nation. Source who furnished the information is CG 5824-S*. See Chicago airtel 3-16-64, "Solo, IS-C."

Dissemination being made to Honorable Walter W. Jenkins, Special Assistant to the President; the Honorable Dean Rusk, the Secretary of State; the Honorable John A. McCone, Director, Central Intelligence Agency; and the Attorney General and Deputy Attorney General.

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TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan *WCS*

DATE: 3/19/64

1-Mr. Belmont

1-Mr. Sullivan

1-Mr. Baumgardner

1-Mr. Shaw

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner

SUBJECT: SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - COMMUNIST

This pertains to a proposed course of action designed to forestall the return of Henry Winston, Vice-Chairman, Communist Party, USA (CPUSA) to Russia.

Winston returned to the United States on 2/27/64, after having resided in Russia since September, 1961. For the past two and a half years, Winston, a Negro whose prison sentence for conspiracy to violate the Smith Act was commuted on 6/30/61, because of the loss of his eyesight, had been receiving medical treatment in Russia. He also has been placed on exhibition by the Soviet Union and other European communist nations as an example of "capitalist sadism" and of racial discrimination and brutality against Negroes in the United States.

At recent press conferences, Winston has stated he returned from Russia in connection with his civil suit against the U.S. Government. (Winston has filed a one million dollar civil suit against the U.S. Government claiming that negligence of prison authorities had resulted in the loss of his eyesight) Winston stated he would return to Russia to complete his medical treatment after testimony in his civil suit is completed. He indicated that upon his return to Russia he would study the advances of socialism and would make these experiences available to the people of the United States when he again returned to this country.

It is, of course, against our best interests to allow Winston to return to Russia. Winston has great propaganda value to the world communist movement and is able to invoke terrific emotional appeal wherever he travels because of his allegations that he was tortured and blinded by "reactionary U.S. prison authorities." By allowing Winston to once more return to Russia would only enable him to continue his anti-American activity from the point where he left off prior to his recent return to this country.

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Memorandum to Mr. Baumgardner
RE: SOLO
100-428091

In an effort to forestall Winston's return to Russia, it is deemed desirable to consider having CG 5824-S*, commensurate with informant's security, take up with CPUSA General Secretary Gus Hall that Winston's return to Russia would not be in the best interest of the CPUSA. Informant could note the recent newspaper publicity relating to Winston's plans to return to Russia and could bring to Hall's attention that Winston during his stay in Russia had acted in a very authoritative manner and had incurred the wrath of the Soviets by his arrogance. In this connection, CG 5824-S* while in Moscow, Russia, during December, 1962, observed that as a result of the royal treatment Winston was receiving in Russia, he had become hypnotized by his own importance, and was acting as if he was still the Party's Organizational Secretary and as "heir apparent." NY 694-S* while in Moscow in May, 1963, was told by Igor Michaelov, an official of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union that Winston was most difficult to get along with. Michaelov noted that six Soviet translators assigned to Winston had quit, and no one, including stenographers, could work with Winston. CG 5824-S* could also point out that Winston's public attacks against the United States during his recent press conferences and his announced intentions to return to Russia could be detrimental to the CPUSA by tending to show the close connection between the CPUSA and the Soviets.

In the event CG 5824-S* believes he cannot safely approach Hall concerning the above course of action, we will, as soon as the plans of Winston to return to Russia become finalized, consider contacting the State Department in an effort to have steps taken to revoke Winston's passport by pointing out that his anticipated return to Russia would not be in the best interests of the U. S. Government.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the attached letter be sent to Chicago requesting that the views of CG 5824-S* be obtained relative to approaching Gus Hall in an effort to forestall the return of Winston to Russia.

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SAC, Chicago (134-46-Sub B)

March 20, 1964

Director, FBI (100-428091) - 3739

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1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Baumgardner
1 - Mr. Shaw

Reurlet 3/12/64 relative to taking steps to forestall the return of Henry Winston to Russia.

The Bureau believes that the most effective manner of coping with this problem is to have CG 5824-S*, commensurate with informant's security, take this matter up with Gus Hall. Informant could note the recent newspaper publicity concerning Winston's intentions to return to Russia, and could point out to Hall that such action would be detrimental to the Communist Party, USA (CPUSA). For example, informant could bring up the information set forth in the letterhead memorandum, "Henry Winston, Information Developed During Discussions, October to December, 1962," which was an enclosure to Chicago airtel 1/14/63 in captioned matter, and which contains the observation of CG 5824-S* that the royal treatment Winston has received in Russia has caused him to become hypnotized by his own importance and he has been apparently operating in the socialist states like he was still the Party's Organizational Secretary and as "heir apparent." This could operate to Hall's detriment with the Soviets. In addition, the information set forth in New York airtel 6/4/63 in captioned matter could be brought to Hall's attention. New York's airtel sets forth the remarks of Igor Michaelov, an official of the International Department, Central Committee, Communist Party of the Soviet Union. Michaelov told NY 694-S* that Winston was most difficult to get along with. Michaelov noted that six Soviet translators assigned to Winston had quit, and no one, including stenographers, could work with Winston.

CG 5824-S* could also point out that Winston's public attacks against the United States during his recent press conferences, along with his public announcement of his plan to return to Russia, would be detrimental to the CPUSA since it would tend to show a close tie-in between the CPUSA and the Soviets.

1 - New York (100-134637)

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You should promptly take up the above matter with CG 5824-S* and advise the Bureau as to informant's reaction to this proposed course of action.

NOTE:

See memo Baumgardner to Sullivan, "Solo, Internal Security - C," dated 3/19/64, WGS:fnh.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

SUBJECT: ~~TOP SECRET~~
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DATE: 3/12/64

ReCGairtel dated February 18, 1964.

As the Bureau is aware, HENRY WINSTON, a Vice Chairman, Communist Party, USA (CP, USA), returned to the United States on February 27, 1964. Previously, as set forth in reCGairtel, CG 5824-S* reported information from GUS HALL which was to the following effect:

HALL indicated that in a recent letter WINSTON had noted that medical treatment in the Soviet Union had not been completed. Based on this, HALL surmised that perhaps WINSTON got wind of plans for an international conference and might attempt to use this excuse of further medical treatment as a guise to get him back to the Soviet Union.

On February 29, 1964, the "New York Times" in an article appearing on page 13 noted the following:

At a press conference, WINSTON noted that he had gone to the Soviet Union in 1961 for medical treatment. He stated he hoped to return for further treatment before returning permanently to this country to help the Negroes in their struggle for freedom. Earlier, in this same interview, it was noted that WINSTON had returned to the United States in connection with a million dollar lawsuit outstanding against the Government.

On March 5 and 7, 1964, CG 5824-S* discussed the matter concerning a possible return of HENRY WINSTON to the Soviet Union, particularly in the case where an international conference might be scheduled for that time. In the opinion

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of CG 5824-S*, he stated he felt it would be against the best interests of our Government, as well as the country, and, of course, this operation, to again allow WINSTON to return to the Soviet Union, particularly if such might coincide with an international conference. WINSTON, according to CG 5824-S*, has great propaganda value to the world communist movement and can invoke terrific emotional appeal wherever he travels because of the physical injuries which he alleges were inflicted upon him by this Government. Already, because of his lengthy stay and travels in the socialist countries, he has been of immense propaganda value to them. By allowing WINSTON to once more return to the socialist countries would only enable him to continue his anti-American activity from the point where he last left off.

CG 5824-S* further stated that he feels every effort should be made by our Government to forestall any authorization for WINSTON to again travel abroad. In an effort to forestall such a return by WINSTON, the source feels that the Government might effectively bring about the need for extensive medical examinations and consultation for WINSTON in this country or publicly circulate information to the effect that equivalent or, in fact, better medical treatment for WINSTON's problem is available in the United States. CG 5824-S* also feels that it could be argued that qualified and competent medical examiners might justifiably challenge the Soviet doctors and medical experts' statements regarding the actual need for additional medical treatment on the part of WINSTON or that such additional medical treatment could, in any way, be beneficial. If such action failed, CG 5824-S* also believes that it might be worthwhile for the Government to consider the preparation and circulation, through recognized columnists and/or established publications, columns and articles dealing with WINSTON and a summation of some or all of his anti-American, anti-U.S. and pro-Soviet and communist activities and enunciations made while abroad. Such columns or articles could point out that WINSTON had traveled abroad as a result of a humanitarian act of the U.S. Government which allowed him, as a communist, a passport in order to go to the Soviet Union contrary to U.S. laws for medical treatment which WINSTON at the time claimed was superior to that available in the U.S.

CG 5824-S* further noted that there would be plenty of such anti-U.S. material available in this country since all of the communist press in the countries which WINSTON visited during his tour abroad utilized his activities and remarks for propaganda purposes. "Pravda," "Izvestia" in the

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Soviet Union as well as official Party publications in Hungary, German Democratic Republic, Bulgaria, and other socialist countries, printed hundreds of such articles, published similar number of photographs on various aspects of WINSTON's activities, contacts, statements, and the like while in those countries.

Source then noted that while he felt a return to the Soviet Union by WINSTON could be detrimental, the overall effects of such a victory by WINSTON could even be more devastating. This would be true in light of other recent court decisions dealing with passport matters. In the source's opinion, he feels that should WINSTON successfully return to the Soviet Union, other individuals, like BOB THOMPSON, would renew for themselves on the basis of humanitarian reasons their efforts to go abroad. In addition, other communists, like OTTO WANGERIN of Chicago, would be able to build a stronger case based on these same humanitarian grounds to have passports issued to them for travel to socialist countries for medical reasons.

He also noted that with the precedent of such cases and recent court decisions, there is a strong likelihood that ambitious people of the stature of JIM JACKSON, a newspaperman, and BEN DAVIS, a Negro spokesman, might make strong appeals for issuance of passports on their behalf.

In making the above comments, CG 5824-S* stated he had raised this only to bring it to the Bureau's attention, feeling that they might like to consider at this time the ramifications of the problem.

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 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)
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ReNYairtel, 3/18/64, reflecting on page 2 thereof that at a meeting between NY 694-S* and KOLOBASHKIN on 3/17/64, KOLOBASHKIN stated that he wished to contact NY 694-S* at 6:00 p.m. on 3/18/64 at the "Dann" rendezvous to give the informant "two important letters" to be transmitted to GUS HALL.

Pursuant to the above-described arrangement, NY 694-S* met ALEKSEY KOLOBASHKIN in the vicinity of the "Dann" rendezvous at 6:00 p.m. on 3/18/64, and KOLOBASHKIN gave to the informant, for transmission to GUS HALL, a roll of microfilm containing, according to KOLOBASHKIN, a letter from the CP of China to the CPSU and a letter from the CPSU in reply to the aforesaid letter of the CP of China.

Photographic prints of the aforementioned letters reflect that they are both unofficial translations, the one entitled "The Letter of the Central Committee of the CP of China to the Central Committee of the CP of the Soviet Union." This letter is dated February 27, 1964. The other, entitled

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"The Letter of the Central Committee of the CPSU to the Central Committee of the CP of China, is undated, but reflects that it is a reply to the letter of the CP of China dated February 27. Copies of the above-described letters are enclosed herewith for the Bureau and Chicago.

The above-mentioned letters reflect the continuing polemics between the CPSU and the CP of China, each party charging the other with responsibility for the acrimonious dispute between the parties. The Soviet letter, referring to a Chinese letter of February 29, which was not made available to the informant by KOLOBASHKIN, reflected that the Central Committee of the CP of China had agreed with the Soviet opinion that another bilateral meeting be held of the representatives of the CPSU and the CP of China. The said Soviet letter further reflected that the Chinese proposal was that such a meeting be held in October, 1964.

On page 12 of the aforementioned Soviet letter appears the following: "Guided by these considerations, the Central Committee of the CPSU proposes: (1) To resume the meeting between the representatives of the CPSU and CPC in Peking in May, 1964. (2) To convene the preparatory conference of the representatives of 26 fraternal parties in June-July, 1964. (3) To convene the international conference in consultations with fraternal parties in the Fall of 1964."

After giving NY 694-S* the above-mentioned Soviet and Chinese letters, KOLOBASHKIN stated that although he and NY 694-S* had previously arranged to meet on March 31, at which time KOLOBASHKIN was to give the informant more money, these arrangements would have to be changed. KOLOBASHKIN stated that he would not be in the position to give the informant money on March 31, but that he would meet NY 694-S* at the "Armstrong" rendezvous on that date to advise him when KOLOBASHKIN would transfer to him more money from the Soviets. KOLOBASHKIN stated that to date he has no information reflecting that any sum in excess of \$300,000.00 is to be given to the CPUSA by the CPSU.

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With respect to GUS HALL's suggestion, transmitted by KOLOBASHKIN to Moscow, that consideration be given to the formation of a new Comintern, KOLOBASHKIN stated that as yet he has no information as to how the Soviets in Moscow reacted to this suggestion. He said, however, that the Soviets at the Mission to the United Nations consider the suggestion excellent. KOLOBASHKIN further stated that he anticipated that the Soviets in Moscow would furnish the reactions to HALL's suggestion re the Comintern via radio.

In the course of their meeting, KOLOBASHKIN and NY 694-S* agreed that the walkie-talkie operation to date has proved ineffective and that some other means must be devised whereby they can arrange for contact.

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Confidential translation

THE BUREAU OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE
TO THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CHINA

Dear comrades:

We are in receipt of your letter dated 27 February. We have studied it carefully. We should tell you frankly that it surprises us greatly. In your letter you again use pejoratively such words as "disasters", "fractionaries", "sectarians" referring to which you are trying to accuse our party of some secret activities directed against the CPSU. Lastly you have been trying more frequently to blame the CPSU for the existing disagreements and aggravation of the struggle the meaning of all these attempts is quite obvious to us - holding the others responsible you thus want to justify your own actions and stir up differences. With good conscience we can state that we do not carry any responsibility for the existing situation. The CPSU and other Marxist-Leninist parties have said and are making all efforts to overcome all disagreements with the Communist Party of China on a principal basis of the Declaration and the Statement of the Moscow Conference. The attitude of the CPSU towards your party has always originated from the desire not to permit an aggravation of differences. First we thought that the differences that had sprung up several years ago were incidental. We were reluctant to believe the information we had got that the Chinese comrades were setting behind our backs and were conducting a policy directed at aggravating the struggle. We have been always trying that our relations be most fraternal and sincere.

The Central Committee of the CPSU understands perfectly well the importance of the friendship between the Communist Party of the Soviet Union and the Communist Party of China, as well as between the Soviet Union and the Chinese People's Republic whose mutual relations should be based on the Marxist-Leninist teachings. We have

repeatedly written and stated to you, as it has been for instance, at the departure of Comrade Lin Biao, the Ambassador of the Chinese Peoples Republic to the USSR, from Moscow in October 1962 about our sincere desire to have the same good relations of friendship between the CPSU and CPC as they have been before 1959. This has been our most ardent wish. But now, unfortunately, we see that our hopes do not come true.

The letter of the Central Committee of the CPC of 27 February is focused in fact upon the proposal that open politics be intensified. Suggesting to conclude an agreement on mutual publication of documents criticising each other yet, in fact, want that the peoples of our countries be involved into the politics between our parties. You should understand, comrades, that if your articles containing so many allegations and slander against the internal and foreign policy of the Soviet Union, including the allegations about the "restoration of capitalism" taking place in the USSR and that it has entered into a "plot with the American imperialists" are published they will arouse feelings of justified indignation among the Soviet people.

Indeed, the Soviet press will not leave such attacks unanswered. And this would mean to abandon the policy directed at consolidating the friendship between the great peoples of the Soviet Union and China and to take up the course of stirring up hostility, distrust and unfriendliness between them.

The policies carried out by you have already exceeded the limits of an ideological dispute and have been turned by you into an instrument of struggle against the CPSU, against the international communist movement as a whole.

You are defaming our party and our country. You are using in fact the tactics recommended by the enemies of the Soviet State who are trying to separate people from party and party from leadership.

Your actions are inadmissible and the hopes linked with them are simply naive. The attacks against the CPSU which has wide experience of struggle against the

Protskye, right-wing deviationists and nationalists; experience of struggle against external enemies are only contributing to greater consolidation of the Soviet communists and all the Soviet people close around its determined Communist vanguard.

Telling the Party all truth about your subversive actions we have always kept and are keeping self-restraint, calm tone, never resorted to insults towards the fraternal Communist Party of China and its leaders and the Chinese people. Now imagine what will happen if we too follow your example and answer you using the same bad language you are bringing down on us, if we appeal to the Chinese people to struggle against their leadership. If we take up this course, then what kind of comrades and leaders of communist parties we claim to be, what kind of followers of the Marxist-Leninist teaching facing the task of the struggle for the construction of communism we are? Communism is not stirring up hostility between nations but, on the contrary, their consolidation as one brotherhood of a family irrespective of nationality, colour of the skin and language and relentless struggle against exploiters, against imperialism.

Guided by these very considerations the Central Committee of the CPSU in its letter of 29 November, 1963 suggested again that open polemics be put an end to and submitted a constructive programme of improving Soviet-Chinese relations and normalizing the situation in the Communist movement. At the same time the publication of the materials of polemic character in the Soviet newspapers has been stopped. All fraternal parties interpreted these actions as a display of good will on the part of the CPSU and hoped that the leadership of the CPC would support our initiative.

Unfortunately, the Central Committee of the CPC acted contrary to the suggestions, deliberately delaying an official answer to our message and requested

in fact, by intensifying your dissident activities within the Communist movement, by even more slanderous accusations of the CPSU and other Marxist-Leninist Parties. This campaign reached its extreme in an article published by "Jurnal Jin Pao" and "Hung Chai" on February 4, 1956, in which the Soviet Union together with the American imperialists are denounced as "main enemy" of People's China, which contains an insupportable insinuation about our Party and its Central Committee. This article of February 4 represents an attempt to lay some theoretical foundation under the dissident actions and to declare the split in the communist movement as a natural development. This shameful document, along with other materials of the same character has been widely circulated and has been broadcast over the whole world in the Russian and other languages.

Under these circumstances we could not keep silent any more. We had to tell the truth about the Chinese leader's words and real deeds, so that the Plenum of the Central Committee of the CPSU would have been able to discuss and assess the current situation to make its weighty utterance. Having considered the struggle of the CPSU for the consolidation of communist movement, the February Plenum of the Central Committee of the CPSU, attended by 6 thousand of the Party activists, unanimously approved the policy of the Presidium of the Central Committee.

In full conformity with the principles of relationship established in the Communist movement, the Central Committee of the CPSU deemed it to be its duty to inform the fraternal parties that we were going to publish the relative materials of the Plenum in our press, to repulse the splitting actions of the CPS leadership.

It is quite evident there was no point in sending you our letter, which was sent to other fraternal parties.

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It was useless even only because of the fact, that we had repeatedly turned to you with the similar questions, but had received no reply. The letter of the Central Committee of the CPSU of February 12, 1964 contained no example, it contained nothing that had not been said by us to the leaders of the CPC long before.

Now it has been decided to use this letter as a ground for accusing the CPSU of conducting "secret" "anti-Chinese" activity.

First of all, it is appropriate to ask this question: does any party have a right to address a letter to those, whom it considers necessary? To us seems that the Central Committee of the CPSU should report on its correspondence. But it is not the only problem, to have already told you how absurd these accusations are particularly on the part of those, who for several years have been actually conducting secret subversive activities against the fraternal parties. One can give many examples, when the Central Committee of the CPSU, acting behind the backs of the Marxist-Leninist parties and their leaders, incited the creation of anti-party and dissident groups, attempts to write them to accuse them to the world communist movement.

Being the aware of reality, the Central Committee of the CPSU tries to give an explanation - they demanded that we should send them the letter of the Central Committee of the CPSU of February 12, 1964. But when we made a polite clarification that none of the communist parties, speaking to each other, should allow itself to resort to the language of ultimatums demands, you obviously concealing the heart of the matter, declare that the Chinese language has no different words for "ultimatum" and "demand".

to are of much higher opinion of the Chinese language. The Chinese are a great people with ancient culture and they perfectly understand the shades of meaning between the words "ask" and "demand". It happens sometimes that the word is the same, but it rings a different bell.

Incidentally, the word "ask" has actually been found in the Chinese, when there was a wish to use it. So hope, that the language of ultimatum will never be used in our relations in future.

However, what was the need to assume such attitude towards a fraternal party?

By your whole letter of February 27, as well as your previous letters, was written in an exceptionally rude over-free manner, interspersed with abusive words and insulting expressions? Did you wish to provoke irritation and compel us to abandon the principal ideological and Communist position and to enter a "market-place squabble". Evidently, these are your intentions.

Seeking to acquire political gains you are always dressing yourself up in the robe of "the knight" of equality, while alleging that the CPSU sticks at the role of "brother-party".

We cannot escape an impression, that all this is done with the only purpose of securing the role of "brother-party" themselves.

But now the times have changed. Even at the time of Stalin this role was obsolete, though he adhered to the similar principles.

Altering abuses within our party and towards the fraternal parties, articulating them, and had their own opinion, he lost the confidence of the people and undermined his authority. During and after the war, Stalin, apparently, felt it himself, that one could not command parties as one's dictatorship. This is, partly, one of the reasons for the dissolution of the Cominform.

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Having assigned all this in a frank Marxist-Leninist manner, our party after Stalin's death undertook measures aimed at improving the established situation. The Central Committee of the CPSU on its own initiative corrected Stalin's mistakes, re-established Lenin's principles of equitable relations with the fraternal parties and countries. We withdrew our troops from the countries where they had earlier been stationed, including East Germany. We established joint economic societies in China as well as in other countries and carried out a number of other measures. It would not be out of place to remind [?] it at that time the Central Committee of the CPSU fully approved and highly appreciated these steps taken by our party. And today our position remains unchanged. The present situation is different from that of 1953, for instance. There is no Lenin now, and no one of the living people can replace him. The Marxist-Leninist parties can work out the general line of the Communist movement only by a collective effort. There are no and can be no other "mother-parties", or "daughter-parties", but there is and should be the family of equal fraternal parties with a collective aim.

Let the attempts to foist upon them their own views while ignoring other opinions and label all those who disagree with their views will never be successful. That is why we call upon you to say to think over your position time and again and give a careful study as to where they might bring you. But is any while disregarding your continuous attacks against the CPSU and other Marxist-Leninist parties we have been displaying patience and readiness to do our best to normalize the situation, to strengthen the unity of the international communist movement.

The Central Committee has repeatedly stated that the best thing that can be done in the interest of the working people, of the revolutionary

movement and the cause of the world socialism is to put an end to open polemics between the communist parties. Once again we come up with this proposal - let us stick up to the principles of the Declaration and the Statute, discuss the controversial problems at the conferences of the fraternal parties and their international meetings. Let us discuss them in a tactful and dignified manner giving full account of our actions so that the dispute has not resulted in a split and has not been to the detriment of the most sacred - the teaching of Marxism-Leninism and the cause of socialism.

We have no right to forget Lenin's behests who has warned that discord between communist parties is in the interests of imperialism. V.I. Lenin calls "discommodious" those arguments, arguments bring discord, discord means that the communists have given up: put pressure upon them, seize the opportunity, take advantage of their weakness. This has become a slogan of the world that is hostile to us. We must not forget it for a moment" (Vol. 32, p. 124-125).

If you are sincerely interested in strengthening the international communist ranks you should have long accepted our proposals, have come to reason and have paid attention to the views of the overwhelming majority of the Marxist-Leninist parties. The more you persist in your attempts to stir up polemics, in your splitting actions the more justified are the communists and all progressive forces in their belief that the Central Committee of the CPSU is guided by wrongly interpreted national interests which are in fact nationalist and selfish but not by interests of socialism.

We could have disproved, point by point, all slanderous accusations made in an official manner against the CPSU in the letter of the Central Committee of the CPSU of February 12; however we don't find it necessary now. That is the way of arguing. If you are not inclined to take a serious view of the problems but instead of that simply throw a few scraps of dirt upon our party,

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We will resist any provocations and will go along Lenin's course side by side with the communists of the whole world. The Central Committee of the CPSU once again expresses its confidence that the CPC will sooner or later find the correct way towards the unity with this communist fraternity. The sooner the better. The CPSU will continue to struggle for the unity of all fraternal parties based upon the principles of Marxism-Leninism and proletarian internationalism, upon the program documents of the International communist movement - the Declaration and the Manifesto.

We have received your letter of February 29 too. It appears from the letter which is a delayed answer to our letter of November 24, 1963, that you have rejected all our proposals aimed at a drastic improvement of the Sino-Soviet relations; aimed at strengthening the friendship and cooperation between the peoples of the USSR and CPC, at closing the ranks of the international communist movement.

It appears from the spirit of the letter that the Central Committee of the CPC is preoccupied not with improving the relations between our parties and countries but with fabricating all kinds of accusations against the CPSU and the Soviet Union.

We firmly reject all your slanderous attacks against the CPSU and the USSR.

The Central Committee will give an answer to your letter, will reveal the true meaning of your distortion of the ideological and political views of our party and the practical activities and will reestablish the truth. Nevertheless we feel it necessary to state in this very letter our position on the problem which is worrying all the communist movement, namely, the problem of overcoming differences, of achieving unity and solidarity of fraternal parties.

to take note of the fact that after numerous delays the Central Committee of the CPSU has agreed with our opinion to resume bilateral meeting of the representatives of the CPSU and the CPC and to prepare and convene at a later stage a conference of all communist and workers parties.

The Central Committee of the CPSU appreciates this fact and regards it as its international duty to do the utmost to facilitate, during the proposed meetings and discussions, the unity of the communist movement, based on further socialism.

It can't be understood why you should postpone for such a long time the realization of all those urgent measures.

The damage to the communist movement resulting from your intensification of polemics and factional activities within its ranks is comprehensible now.

The problems that demand discussion are quite clear now and the purposes of the meetings are perfectly distinct as well.

Besides it can't be disregarded that the majority of the Marxist-Leninist parties now and now urgently points out the necessity of convening an international conference.

So much the more irrefragable is the delay of bilateral meeting between the representatives of the CPSU and CPC. Eight months has already past from the time of the first meeting and you propose to delay the second meeting for the same period while the phase of improving relations between our parties and countries, the interests of uniting the world communist movement, all democratic and revolutionary forces for stirring up of mutual struggle against imperialism demand the settlement of the present differences in the shortest time possible.

For our party it is essential, without distracting its attention on infinite disputes, to concentrate its main efforts on the fulfillment of great tasks, which confront us in the construction of socialism and communism, in the struggle with our common enemy - imperialism.

Your proposal to arrange the meeting between the representatives of GPCR and CPC in October, 1964, means in fact a delay of the Conference of fraternal parties at least for one year and so to delay the overcoming of differences and to subject them to a greater extent.

We believe that it would have hurt the interests of all fraternal parties and the world communist movement.

We cannot understand the motives of your suggestion to arrange the preparatory meeting of the representatives of only 17 fraternal parties (Albania, Bulgaria, Hungary, Viet Nam, USSR, China, Korea, Cuba, Mongolia, Poland, Rumania, USSR, Czechoslovakia, Democraticia, Japan, Italy, France).

We consider it expedient that the preparatory meeting was attended by the representatives of all fraternal parties which had been members of the Editorial Commission of the Moscow Conference of 1960 and which took part in the preparation of the draft Statute (Albania, Bulgaria, Hungary, Viet Nam, USSR, China, Korea, Poland, Mongolia, Rumania, USSR, Czechoslovakia, France, Italy, GDR, Great Britain, Finland, Argentina, Brazil, Syria, India, Indonesia, USA, Japan and Australia).

Such attendance which cover the major areas of revolutionary movement, was approved in due time by all the fraternal parties and as the experience showed, contributed to the success of the 1960 Conference and the preparation of its documents; indeed our party which is responsible for convening of international conferences will address to all parties but consult with them.

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Guided by these considerations the Central Committee of the CPSU proposes:

- 1) To resume the meeting between the representatives of the CPSU and CP in Peking in May, 1964;
- 2) To convene the Preparatory Conference of the representatives of 26 fraternal parties in June-July 1964;
- 3) To convene the International Conference in consultations with fraternal parties in the Fall of 1964.

The Central Committee of the CPSU emphasizes that for the success of these measures it is necessary to put an end to open polemics, to reject any kind of subversive and disunited activities within the socialist camp and communist movement.

It hopes that the Central Committee of the CPSU will agree with these proposals and make its constructive contribution to the preparation and implementation of the planned measures.

Our proposals, dictated by the deep concern for the overcoming of differences, uniting the international communist movement, are in the vital interests of peoples of socialist countries, working class, working people throughout the world and communism.

With friendly regards,

THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE SOVIET
PARTY OF THE WORKING PEOPLE

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Unofficial translation

THE LETTER OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CHINA
TO THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF THE SOVIET UNION

To the Central Committee of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union.

Dear comrades,

The Central Committee of the Communist Party of China is in receipt of your letter of 22 February 1964.

It is characteristic for this letter of yours that having filled its pages with such empty words as "improper message", "a clumsy attempt to shift the blame on someone else", "rudely", "fanny" you avoid answering the essential questions put forward in our letter of 20 February 1964. This is not serious, to say the least.

You are calling us names, alleging that we act as real culprits "looking for a thief". But in fact this time in your sectarian, factional and dissident actions you have been caught red-handed undeniably - proofes and 100% facts being on hand.

That is why you resort to a method when a real culprit is "looking for a thief" to divert attention from himself and to back away from responsibility. But whatever attempts to justify yourself and to engage in casuistry you are making, you will not succeed all the same in denying that (1) actually behind our backs you have sent to the fraternal parties a special letter directed against the Communist Party of China; (2) actually behind our backs you are planning to undertake the so-called "collective measures" without the CPSU participating in them and to introduce further split into the international communist movement.

In our letter dated 20 February we pointed out that you "engage openly in the sectarian, factional and dissident activities"; that you are using "fully double-dealing methods" and that "deep-rooted great-power chauvinism and the canners of a 'Third Party' are apparent in your actions.

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Your latest letter shows that our criticism of your actions fully corresponds to the facts and is completely true.

Is not it you who mention over and over again about your desire to improve relations and to uphold unity. If you really want this you should call things by their proper names - if it is the truth call it the truth, if it is a lie - call it a lie. There is nothing better than to be honest. This is the only way to the genuine solution of the problem. And there are no other ways.

In the first line of your letter you took liberties to state that you have all rights to leave unanswered the letter of the Central Committee of the CPC to the Central Committee of the CPSU while we have repeatedly stated that we were planning to answer your letter of 29 November 1963.

But as we have not answered yet your various attacks we advised you to be patient.

And then you lost your temper as if we had committed a big crime. Give it a quiet and composed thought: does this represent an equitable treatment of a fraternal party? Instead of analysing your own mistakes in a serious and self-critical manner, openly admitting and correcting them, as V.I. Lenin taught, you slander against others, disregard the facts, pass black for white, accuse us of fractional activities.

You even dragged out the Belicheva case which was took place in June, 1960, as a telling argument. But as the saying goes, "having lifted a stone you hurt your foot".

During the exchange of views with high ranking comrades from a fraternal party concerning international communist movement our actions were open-hearted, normal and unimpeachable. But your black deeds with regard to Belicheva actually can't be shown in the day-light. You have used Belicheva as a tool to

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overthrow the leadership of a fraternal party of a fraternal country, to undermine the unity of the socialist camp and the international communist movement.

The Albanian comrades exposed this intrigue of yours and found a sound decision of the Belashova case.

And speaking about "the real secret dissident activities against fraternal parties", it is exactly what the leadership of the CPSU has been doing. As far back as in January 1960, that was 2 months before the Belashova case, you sent comrade Mikoyan on a mission to the Albanian party leaders in order to draw them into your activities directed against the Communist Party of China. On June 24, 1960, at the Bucharest conference of the representatives of the fraternal parties of the Socialist countries, comrade Kape, the head of the Albanian delegation, disclosed your secret dissident activity in comrade Khrushchev's presence.

Like "gentlemen for an hour" you declared in your letter that you intend to "publish the documents", to openly state your views.

On September 21, 1963 you announced that you intended "to reply us in the most decisive way".

To tell the truth, haven't you made quite enough similar stunts? Isn't it enough, that you have already made public? For enumeration one could give many facts, which have taken place since the XI Congress of the CPSU. They are all quite familiar to you and there is no need here to enlarge upon them. Again you indulge in idle jabbering. Frankly speaking, by this method you can intimidate only nervous people. No matter how formidable you were trying to look, it will only remind us of paper tigers, spears with silvery tin heads.

Will you show us everything you have in your arsenal of wonder-working means like "the most resolute refusal", "the open statement of views", and

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"collective measures" against CPSU, such and so documents and data. Show us
than all in order we could broaden our outlook.

If you are not afraid of truth and people masses, if you are sure that
the CPSU members and the Soviet People are politically matured and capable of
telling the truth from untruth, if you do not treat them as some crowd, then
we propose to conclude an agreement between our two parties, an agreement
containing the provision that both sides on an equal footing, together with our
articles and materials which criticize the other side, publish as well in its
press documents, articles and materials of the other side with its reciprocal
critics which have been already published and which will be published in future.

You say that we made a mistake: we "demanded" and not "agreed" you to
send us the letter of February 12, 1964. In common usage of these two words
in the Chinese language there is no such a big difference as you say. However
as you attach such a serious importance to it and consider it one of the
reasons why you cannot send us your letter of February 12, 1964 which
is aimed against CPSU, well, we will meet you half-way: we ask you to send
us too the letter of February 12, 1964 which you sent to other fraternal
parties.

We hope that it will be satisfied.

With fraternal regards

THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST
PARTY OF CHINA

February 27, 1964

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

SAC, New York (100-134637)

March 27, 1964

Director, FBI (100-428091)

1 - Mr. Donohue
1 - Mr. Shaw

SOLO

INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Reurlet 3/18/64, requesting authority to purchase a tape recorder in an amount not in excess of \$110 from the confidential fund of the New York Office for the use of NY 694-S* in the Solo operation.

Pursuant to your request, authority is granted to purchase a tape recorder in an amount not in excess of \$110.

1 - Mr. M. F. Row (6221 - IB)

NOTE:

NY 694-S* in handling the clandestine Solo apparatus receives ciphered radio messages from the Soviets. Some of these messages are of considerable length, and the use of a tape recorder would enable NY 694-S* to replay these messages at any desired speed. Thus, if NY 694-S* is ever presented with the question by the Soviets as to how he can receive lengthy messages on the initial transmission, he will have a convincing answer which can be proven by the possession of a tape recorder. By telephone call to ASAC Roney of the New York Office, 3/24/64, the question of whether the Soviets would consider it a security violation for NY 694-S* to utilize a tape recorder was taken up. ASAC Roney advised that this matter had already been discussed with informant who stated that the use of a tape recorder for this particular operation is considered standard practice. Informant also noted that the Soviets are aware that he has a hearing impairment and would raise no question concerning his use of a tape recorder.

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

SAC, Chicago (134-46 Sub B)

March 27, 1964

Director, FBI (100-428091)

1 - Mr. Shaw

SOLO

INTERNAL SECURITY - C

The New York Office has posed the following questions concerning the handling of Solo information:

1. Can the New York Office disseminate information from the Solo case to other offices so long as the information is disseminated under the appropriate case caption and not the Solo caption?

2. Can New York disseminate copies of Solo correspondence to other New York files such as the Funds file or is it necessary to prepare separate memoranda under separate captions such as the Funds caption?

3. Is New York prohibited from disseminating any information from the Solo case to any other file in its or in any other field office under the Solo caption or under any other caption.

4. Can New York disseminate copies of Solo communications to case files such as the Kolobashkin case file, which is closely allied to the Solo operation?

Chicago is instructed to promptly submit to the Bureau and New York its recommendations and observations relative to the above questions posed by New York. New York upon receiving Chicago's reply should immediately submit to the Bureau any observations or recommendations it may have relative to the course of action suggested by Chicago.

1 - New York (100-134637)

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RE: SOLO
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The Bureau will reserve its judgment in this matter until after Chicago submits its recommendations and until after New York has had an opportunity to comment on Chicago's recommendations.

NOTE:

Chicago and New York are of divergent viewpoints relative to the handling of Solo information. This relates to the dissemination of Solo information to other field offices and the channelization of Solo information to other files within the New York and Chicago Offices. New York Supervisor [redacted] by telephone call to the Bureau 3/18/64 posed the four questions set forth in this letter. Since Chicago is origin in the Solo case it is deemed advisable to solicit the recommendations of Chicago relative to the questions posed by New York, prior to making a decision at the Bureau.

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

The Attorney General

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Evans
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Wannall
- 1 - Mr. Branigan

March 26, 1964

Director, FBI

- 1 - Mr. Baumgardner
- 1 - Mr. Shaw

COMMUNIST PARTY, USA
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Material in the enclosed memorandum was supplied by sources which have furnished reliable information in the past. The enclosed memorandum summarizes a recent exchange of letters between the Central Committees of the Communist Parties of China and the Soviet Union. Each Party charged the other with responsibility for the acrimonious Sino-Soviet dispute. The Soviets noted the willingness of the Chinese to convene a conference of all fraternal parties. In view of this, the Soviets made the following proposals: (1) to resume the meeting between Sino-Soviet representatives in Peking, China, in May, 1964; (2) to convene a preparatory conference of representatives of 26 fraternal parties in June-July, 1964; and (3) to convene an international conference in consultations with fraternal parties in the Fall of 1964.

Because of the sensitive nature of our sources, we have classified this communication and its enclosure ~~"Top Secret."~~ This information is being furnished to other interested officials of the Government.

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1 - The Deputy Attorney General (Enclosure)

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The Attorney General

NOTE:

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1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Evans
1 - Mr. DeLoach
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1 - Mr. Wannall
1 - Mr. Branigan
1 - Mr. Baumgardner
1 - Mr. Shaw 1-Liaison

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

March 26, 1964

SINO-SOVIET RELATIONS

Summary of letter from the Central Committee, Communist Party of China, to the Central Committee, Communist Party of the Soviet Union, dated February 27, 1964

The Central Committee of the Communist Party of China acknowledged a letter from the Central Committee of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union dated February 20, 1964, and described the Soviets' letter as a clumsy attempt to shift the blame on someone else. The Communist Party of China indicated it had "asked," not "demanded," that it be furnished the letter of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union dated February 12, 1964, which was sent to other fraternal parties. The Communist Party of China noted that in the usage of these two words in the Chinese language there is no big difference.

The Communist Party of China accused the Communist Party of the Soviet Union of indulging in "idle jabbering," and warned that no matter how formidable the Soviets are trying to look, they only reminded the Chinese of "spears with silvery tin heads."

The Communist Party of China concluded that if the Communist Party of the Soviet Union is sure that its members and the Soviet people are politically matured and capable of telling the truth, the Communist Party of China was proposing that a mutual publication of documents be made setting forth the positions of each Party.

Summary of letter from the Central Committee, Communist Party of the Soviet Union, to the Central Committee, Communist Party of China, March, 1964

The Central Committee of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union acknowledged the letter of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of China dated February 27, 1964.

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SINO-SOVIET RELATIONS

The Soviets rejected the proposal of the Chinese calling for the mutual publication of documents setting forth the position of each Party in the ideological dispute. The Communist Party of the Soviet Union warned that the publication by the Communist Party of China of slander against the foreign and domestic policies of the Soviet Union including the allegation that the Soviet Union has entered into a "plot with American imperialism" will arouse feelings of indignation among the Soviet people. The Communist Party of the Soviet Union charged that the polemics carried out by the Chinese have already exceeded the limits of an ideological dispute and have been turned into an instrument of struggle against the Communist Party of the Soviet Union and against the international communist movement as a whole.

The Communist Party of the Soviet Union pointed out that its letter of February 12, 1964, which was sent to several fraternal parties, contained no secrets, and, in fact, contained nothing that had not been said by the Communist Party of the Soviet Union to the leaders of the Communist Party of China long before. The Communist Party of the Soviet Union charged the Communist Party of China with using this letter as a ground for charging the Communist Party of the Soviet Union of conducting "secret" anti-Chinese activity.

The Communist Party of the Soviet Union also acknowledged receipt of a letter from the Communist Party of China dated February 29, 1964, which is described as a delayed answer to the letter of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union dated November 29, 1963. The Communist Party of the Soviet Union took note of the fact that the Communist Party of China had agreed with the need to renew bilateral meetings of Sino-Soviet representatives, and to thereafter convene a conference of all fraternal parties. In view of this, the Communist Party of the Soviet Union made the following proposals: (1) to resume the meeting between the representatives of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union and the Communist Party of China in Peking, China, in May, 1964; (2) to convene a preparatory conference of the representatives of 26 fraternal parties in June-July, 1964; and (3) to convene the international conference in consultations with fraternal parties in the Fall of 1964.

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SINO-SOVIET RELATIONS

NOTE:

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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TO : Mr. Conrad *JWC*
FROM : C. F. Downing *CD*
SUBJECT: SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

DATE: March 23, 1964

Captioned case involves the Bureau's highly valuable confidential informant NY 694-S* who has been receiving communications directed to him by radio.

On 3/23/64, transmissions were heard by the Bureau's radio station at Midland on scheduled times and frequencies at which time one message, NR 714 GR 23, was sent.

The plain text is set forth below, the cipher text is attached.

PLEASE CLARIFY WHAT KIND OF LUGGAGE (Visa) DO YOU NEED FROM OUR CASHIERS (Embassy) IN FAIR (Washington) AND DELTA (Zurich)

ACTION:

For information.

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: 3-20-64

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner

SUBJECT: SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - COMMUNIST

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This is to advise you of the receipt of \$150,000 by the Communist Party, USA (CPUSA), on 3-17-64, as a subsidy from the Communist Party of the Soviet Union (CPSU).

It will be recalled that CG 5824-S* while on a Solo mission in the Soviet Union during late 1963 relayed to CPSU officials a request from CPUSA General Secretary Gus Hall that the CPUSA be provided with \$1,295,000 to assist in its operational expenses for 1964. The Soviets delivered \$30,000 to the CPUSA through the Solo apparatus in January, 1964, and on 2-20-64 the Soviets sent a radio message from Moscow to NY 694-S* stating that \$600,000 would be furnished to the CPUSA during March, 1964.

On 3-17-64, Aleksey Kolobashkin, Third Secretary, Soviet Mission to the United Nations, delivered to NY 694-S* a black attache case containing the sum of \$150,000.

The grand total of all funds received by the CPUSA from the Soviets since 1958 is now \$1,829,991.

ACTION:

For information. The clandestine receipts of funds from the Soviets is not being disseminated in view of the fact that it would jeopardize our Solo informants.

100-428091

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Baumgardner
- 1 - Mr. Shaw

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1 - Liaison
1 - Mr. Wannall
1 - Mr. Shaw

(IS) 100-428091

BY LIAISON

Date: March 25, 1964

To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: COMMUNIST PARTY OF GREAT BRITAIN
INTERNAL SECURITY - GREAT BRITAIN

A most sensitive source of this Bureau, which has furnished reliable information in the past, has advised that John Gollan, General Secretary, Communist Party (CP) of Great Britain, recently made the following confidential comments relative to the current status of the CP of Great Britain.

The CP of Great Britain desires to be left alone and does not want to become involved in any way in the current Sino-Soviet ideological dispute. The CP of Great Britain is proud of the fact that it has not been diverted by the Sino-Soviet dispute and is happy that at its last convention this matter had not been taken up. Since the CP of Great Britain wants no part in this dispute, it does not support at this time any international conference of Communist Parties to discuss this problem.

In a recent meeting with Palmiro Togliatti, leader of the CP of Italy, Togliatti also voiced opposition to an international conference of Communist Parties. Togliatti felt that any such conference in 1964 would cause an irrevocable split in the communist camp. He was also worried about the results such a conference would have on the internal situation within the Italian CP. Togliatti favored only periodic consultative meetings of representatives of the world communist movement.

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1 - Director

Central Intelligence Agency

Attention: Deputy Director, Plans

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NOTE:

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1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Wannall
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1 - Mr. Baumgardner
1 - Liaison
1 - Mr. Shaw

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

March 26, 1964

BY LIAISON

Honorable Dean Rusk
The Secretary of State
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Rusk:

Material in the enclosed memorandum was supplied by sources which have furnished reliable information in the past. The enclosed memorandum summarizes a recent exchange of letters between the Central Committees of the Communist Parties of China and the Soviet Union. Each Party charged the other with responsibility for the acrimonious Sino-Soviet dispute. The Soviets noted the willingness of the Chinese to convene a conference of all fraternal parties. In view of this, the Soviets made the following proposals: (1) to resume the meeting between Sino-Soviet representatives in Peking, China, in May, 1964; (2) to convene a preparatory conference of representatives of 26 fraternal parties in June-July, 1964; and (3) to convene an international conference in consultations with fraternal parties in the Fall of 1964.

Because of the sensitive nature of our sources, we have classified this communication and its enclosure "~~Top Secret~~." This information is being furnished to other interested officials of the Government.

Sincerely yours,

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Honorable Dean Rusk

NOTE:

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1 - Liaison
1 - Mr. Wannall
1 - Mr. Branigan
1 - Mr. Shaw

(IS) 100-428091

Date: March 27, 1964

To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: SINO-SOVIET RELATIONS
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

The following information was supplied by sources which have furnished reliable information in the past.

The Communist Party (CP) of the Soviet Union in February, 1964, circulated amongst certain fraternal parties a confidential letter suggesting that there might be a necessity for calling an international conference of all Communist and Workers Parties which would seek out a solution to the Sino-Soviet ideological differences. Certain fraternal parties, among which were the Rumanian Workers Party and the CP of Italy, requested that the CP of the Soviet Union hold in abeyance any positive planning regarding such a conference. However, prior to the issuance of its letter, the CP of the Soviet Union had some discussion with representatives of the CP of France and convinced that Party to openly support such a conference.

After having circulated its confidential letter and receiving the open endorsement for such a conference from the CP of France, the CP of the Soviet Union, mostly on the basis of pleas from the Rumanian Workers Party and

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the CP of Italy, agreed to hold all further preparations for a conference in abeyance. As a result, the leadership of the CP of France is now very unhappy with the CP of the Soviet Union. The CP of France feels that it has been placed in an embarrassing position and is now subject to criticism of other parties, mainly the CP of China.

Because of the sensitive nature of our sources, we have classified this communication "~~Top Secret~~."

1 - Director
Central Intelligence Agency

Attention: Deputy Director, Plans

NOTE:

Classified "~~Top Secret~~" because unauthorized disclosure of this information could reveal the identity of the source, who is of continuing value, and such revelation could result in exceptionally grave damage to the nation. Source is CG 5824-S*, who is referred to as "sources" in order to further protect the identity of this informant. See Chicago airtel 3/18/64, "Solo" IS-C, which discloses that CG 5824-S* received this information from Norman Freed, a functionary of the Canadian CP.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
(Att: ASST. DIR. W. C. SULLIVAN)

DATE: 3/18/64

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)

SUBJECT: SOLO
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As the Bureau is aware, NY 694-S* has been receiving ciphered radio messages from the Soviets for a considerable period of time. During this period, there have been several occasions when these messages were of unusual length. Although the length of the messages has been of no particular problem to our receiving personnel, it is believed, however, that this circumstance, at some future time, could become a security risk or, at least, a cause for suspicion toward NY 694-S*. This circumstance, the fact that NY 694-S* is experiencing no apparent difficulty in receiving such lengthy messages, may become a topic of inquiry, by the Soviets, at a later date.

In view of the above, it is the opinion of the NYO that one of the means by which NY 694-S* will be afforded maximum security in this, or similar circumstances, would be for NY 694-S* to have available to him a tape recorder which can record the ciphered radio messages and which can be replayed at any desired speed. Thus, if NY 694-S* is ever presented with the question as to how he can, himself, receive lengthy and involved messages on the initial transmission, he will have a ready and convincing answer which can be proved by the possession of a tape recorder.

The NYO, therefore, is requesting Bureau authority to purchase a tape recorder, in an amount not in excess of \$110.00, from the confidential fund of the NYO, for the use of NY 694-S* in the Solo operation.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)
 SUBJECT: SOLO
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On 3/24/64, there was received at a New York mail drop a note written by LESLIE MORRIS, National Secretary of the Canadian CP, for transmission to GUS HALL. The said note enclosed a letter received by LESLIE MORRIS from FRANK and LIBBY PARKS, Canadian CP representatives in Cuba.

The aforesaid letter refers to matters concerning Cuba, and of particular interest to the Canadian CP. NY 694-S* advised that "B" in paragraph one refers to BEATRICE JOHNSON, CPUSA representative in Cuba, and "BILL K." refers to Canadian CP functionary WILLIAM KASHTAN.

Photostats of the aforesaid PARKS letter are enclosed herewith for the Bureau and Chicago.

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Approved: _____
 Special Agent in Charge

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The correspondence seems to have slowed down from our end. New to catch up. Various messages to B have been passed on. Yours of Jan 15th came on Feb 17, and yours of Feb 1st on Feb 27th. A letter from Bill K, dated ten days later than yours came a day earlier, on the 26th. On the 27th we saw B. She will write you direct and instruct. Take no action on the matter that Bill asked about until she writes. OK? ✓

We have received Discussion 1 & 2. There are some interesting points to discuss and we shall try to send something, but why in the world does #1 have nothing about national liberation anywhere in the world, let alone in Latin America? This is the Chinese sin in reverse and gives them an argument.

We sent you a picture supplement from Revolucion showing Fidel and Nikita at work - really wonderful propaganda material by two experts. First ever shot of a prime minister on his back in the snow. The afternoon paper last week carried a nice picture of old Faulkner, the ninety-year-old farmer and his daughter and an interview with him. They are established on a people's farm but we heard that they were going to be moved to an experimental farm where he would have more scope. There is also a new Canadian ambassador on his way - Mayrand - would that not sound like an up-grading of the job here? Or what?

Apropos of Olsen. It seems, at least according to the interview he gave the paper (mundo) that he and his wife came as tourists planning to stay for the anniversary and apparently attached themselves to what was going on, since he knows the ropes from earlier visits. B. ran into them at the hotel and innocently asked if they knew you. The tone of the reply gave her to understand that she had not fallen among close friends.

By the way, the press here some ten days or so ago noted that the second continental congress of solidarity with Cuba will be held in July next in Montreal. A Brazilian general arranged it with the acting mayor. This is fabulous news if correct. The US raised heaven and earth to have the first congress last year in Brazil cancelled, and in the end federal troops had to be called out to restrain Lacerda, the state governor.

Outside papers (Trib and New Times - our sources) have had little to say about Soviet Cuban sugar agreement. But this is probably the largest contract ever signed - 24.1 million metric tons at 6 cts a lb is over \$3,000 million. An interview with Prestes says that it is causing a big impression in Brazil. Fidel said the Soviets thought it would be better to pay the world price throughout but he argued for a fixed price. The Cuban estimate is that there will be high prices, above six cents, for a couple of years and then a decline and that fixed prices make for better planning.

Now the new combines have arrived and been tested, it is said, with great success. Three models were tested, a self-propelled

combine that cuts, trims and piles the cane on a truck, another model that is drawn by a tractor, and a new cutter. With these in production, with a secure market, with domestic arrangements made re prices and wages, the whole picture is complete and it all depends on what can be done here. The NY Times says gloomily that 10 million tons by 1970 is feasible. The record so far was over 7 million in the Korean war. Last year was 3.8 - this year is a secret, no estimates. Some U.S. sources guessed 4.2, to which Fidel replied - you don't say.

Fidel had a field day with the return of the fishing boats. He had been watching on TV or listening before he arrived and told the announcers they were only talking about the incident - he had something to say about the fishing industry. He launched into a scathing criticism of the faulty organisation and lack of co-ordination and of the lies that had been published in the press. At least, he said to the newsmen, you should learn not to print lies. But in the course of describing the plans for fishing he said that by January of next year, 65, they hoped to take eggs off the ration, and that by the end of this year they expected to have some meat for export just to get into the market - 5,000 tons, said Fidel - 30,000 head. There will be 250,000 head available for internal use. So things are moving.

Thinking about lack of emphasis - the propositions don't give much importance to the wheat deals with the socialist countries - but they can change the whole balance of payments picture and even if there isn't a continuing future in sale of wheat (and there may be for some time) the deals show what a tremendous market exists.

January was also a month of martyrs - Martinez Villena, Mella, Menendez and finally Marti. Martinez Villena was a poet and PSP leader who died in 34. Fabio wrote a nice piece about him. He died from TB and spoke for the last time when Mella's ashes were brought back from Mexico after Machado's overthrow. He and Mella belonged to the same group that included Roa and Marinello and others. For Marti, both Marinello and Roa spoke at different meetings. Both are masters of the phrase but Roa scored with a quotation from Marti on Mexico - my beloved Mexico, I would give my life for you - but I would rise from my grave if ever Mexico was unfaithful to its ideas.

Juliao has been here but aside from an interview there was little said about him. Prestes has been in the press several times on the basis of interviews in Europe.

The cultural debate is continuing in other forms. There was evidently agreement not to continue in the other form. The cinema directors are writing in the Gaceta (quite well) criticising articles which suggested that criticism was fine but might cover this or that. They ask for details - put up or shut up on such an insinuation. Bohemia carried a series of articles on Joyce, Proust and Kafka as the three most influential novelists of the XX Cent, and asked that Joyce be translated and published (easier suggested than done). We have been reading Kafka since our return from Canada - the other night there was Czech film short shown on his life in Prague. Now Cuba Socialista #30, February, has come out with a long (30 pp) article

by Fernando Claudin, described as a member of the CC Spanish party. They have had political articles by him before. He says he is expressing a personal opinion on a discussion that is world wide. He probably lives in Paris and this article may be available in French - "The Pictorial Revolution of our Time". Bohemia has reprinted sections of it as well sections of Ernst Fischer.

The Claudin article is fascinating and would be helpful in any discussion you have even though it is limited to painting. He makes a strong argument in defence of what he calls the best abstract art as a reflection not of decadence but of XX century reality. The abstract painters (the "best") are in rebellion against society - they became fashionable only when they were denounced by the socialist world. No-one, he says, expects science to be understood by all - you strive to that end but it is never so, ditto even in politics. It is only in painting, he says plaintively, that the people are supposed to understand everything all at once. Painting operates on several levels - the Soviet mistake was to limit it to the popular level. There is much more to the argument than that. It would be quite a chore to translate and maybe we can work out a summary but let us hope you get it in English or French.

You suggest an article on reasons for Confederation. It would be interesting but is impossible here. What is needed is some work on the sources to bring in British and US motives as well as Canadian. Maybe it could be done more easily as a review of what someone else says but really it would come better backed up by some new material. The Canadian left is not ~~quite~~ familiar with the Confederation debates in Canada (and in LB and NS) and Mfld and PEI - to say nothing of the ideas current in the US and UK. We have never been very adulatory, do you think? ~~For instance~~ Or do you mean the press generally? The program is negative rather than adulatory - and could do with more emphasis on historic importance of what was done, regardless of motives and forces at work.

One other detail on something you said - re declining percentage in agriculture. There is another side to it - Marx or Lenin or maybe Engels said somewhere that in an advanced country the number employed in agriculture cannot be measured by those on the farms but has to include those producing machinery for them, fertilizers, etc - part of the advance of capitalism in agriculture. Interesting thought and important too in relation to sales of wheat.

Another point re propositions. When you raise the question of divisions in the Canadian pie and whether they reach into monopoly circles, you don't carry the argument to its conclusion - the existence of a difference of opinion at top US levels on whether to go to a detente and how much, or not. Some think only of a disengagement here to strike stronger there. But this is a fundamental political decision and once the assumption of inevitable war is questioned, then a whole series of other debates are re-opened. Canada has taken political decisions with economic consequences under US pressure because war was thought to be coming. But if that isn't so - then the whole basis of Canadian policy for seventeen years is in doubt. That means a fluid situation - a very optimistic situation in which the para about objective difficulties sounds out of tune. Not that the difficulties aren't there - but the problem is not in their existence but in how they are dealt with.

and the US debate can only help.

No doubt some time in the future we shall see what the Chinese said early in February and know what if any reply has been made. The only references heard have been via the Voice of America, not the most encouraging source.

We see the London Worker spasmodically but nothing from the U.S. something is wrong - the Militant and Vanguard both turn up - mailed faithfully from Toronto. If it wasnt for our own Trib. no one where we are would see it either.

One more point - for information only, in reference to Bill's letter. Only two Canadian banks, Royal and N.S., are doing any business with Cuba. The Royal said to us some months ago that they will not sell a draft payable in Cuba no matter in what currency. (This appears to be a bank decision - of all the banks). When you press them, it turns out there is a BUT - but they will mail or cable funds (Canadian dollars or sterling but not US) to the International Department of the Banco nacional de Cuba in Habana for the credit of Senor so-and-so at such-and-such an address. It took about three months of correspondence to extract this information but it works. We mention this only for information and not in any specific reference. From the tone of the banks letters we judge they are not pleased with the position they are in since they evade any answer to the question - on what authority are you acting? The inconsistent situation - first no, then yes, suggests a formula to meet pressure from the US.

By the time you get this you will be all on the verge of the Convention - our greetings to all and very best wishes for a successful meeting - there is lots to think about and to do.

Our best

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

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ReNYairtel dated 3/11/64.

During discussion with CG 5824-S* on 3/23/64 he raised the following and suggested that it be presented to the Bureau and New York for consideration:

During his recent discussion with NY 694-S* in NYC, the latter individual made reference to the possibility, based on future developments regarding his wife, of initiating a Solo Mission to the Soviet Union. If such a mission develops, CG 5824-S* noted that it was his opinion that prior thereto some thought should be given and arrangements made for a method of communication by the CP, USA with NY 694-S* as well as with the CPSU during the period that NY 694-S* would be absent from the country. He noted that for purpose of communication, he has found that during the past two Solo Missions completed by him, that efforts to utilize the regular mails are useless and that any material sent via regular mail has not reached him prior to his departure from the country. He further noted however that during the periods he has been abroad there has been such channel of communication available and he at all times knew that in emergency situations NY 694-S* was maintaining the apparatus in NYC and that there was always the possibility of communication from the Party through such a channel. He was also aware of the fact that any important

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material from the CP, USA could be dispatched to him through such channels. However, the source noted that if NY 694-S* should go on the projected mission the situation would not be the same. In the present existing conditions there would necessarily have to be a temporary abandonment of the apparatus currently being handled exclusively by NY 694-S* unless some arrangements were made prior to this time with the Soviets.

In view of the foregoing, CG 5824-S* stated that it might be wise and practical, if NY 694-S*, the NY Office and the Bureau should all concur, that the Soviets be advised that during the absence of NY 694-S* that the apparatus will continue to be operative and under the control of CG 5824-S*. Tentative arrangements could be set up by NY 694-S* prior to his departure so that emergency contacts could be carried out by CG 5824-S*. NY 694-S* could brief CG 5824-S* on the latest details concerning the current location of drops and meeting places being utilized as well as any of the more recent changes in pertinent detail relating to the method of contact. The source noted that he feels that he would be entirely capable of handling this phase of the overall Solo operation during the absence of NY 694-S* since he had the experience in initially opening up this channel in NY a number of years ago. He then noted that he believed that for the sake of NY 694-S*, as well as for the overall operation, that it was most important that such channel of communication as available in NY not be closed down for any period of time and particularly during the absence of NY 694-S*. He stated he would be willing to spend the necessary time in NYC which would be required in servicing this apparatus.

Comments of the Bureau and NY are solicited by Chicago in connection with the above suggestion of CG 5824-S*.

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1 - Liaison
1 - Mr. Wannall
1 - Mr. Shaw

BY LIAISON

Date: March 25, 1964

To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: COMMUNIST PARTY OF CHINA
INTERNAL SECURITY - CHINA

The following information was supplied by a source which has furnished reliable information in the past.

A number of leading representatives of Communist Parties from the European communist countries recently made the following observations relative to the status of Communist Parties aligned with the Communist Party (CP) of China.

In its current ideological dispute with the CP of the Soviet Union, the CP of China could probably gather a maximum of ten parties, other than splinter groups from existing Communist Parties, that would openly support its viewpoint. As a result, this would be the maximum number of parties that would be expected to line up behind the CP of China should the CP of the Soviet Union request and schedule an international conference of Communist Parties in an effort to resolve existing differences. The parties which at this time would reportedly support the CP of China are as follows: Albanian Party of Labor; Korean Party of Labor; CP of Japan; CP of Malaya; CP of New Zealand; CP of Indonesia; CP of Burma; CP of Ceylon; and the Workers Party of Viet Nam.

The CP of Burma is split, but the majority of the membership as well as the Party's leadership side with the CP of China. The CP of Ceylon is also split with the majority of the leadership, although not the majority of the over-all membership, being in the Chinese camp. The Workers Party of Viet Nam is a subject of immense pressures from the CP of China

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and is caught in the middle. Because of geographical location, it depends upon the CP of China for all or most of its aid. It strongly fears an invasion from South Viet Nam and, therefore, feels that it cannot desert the CP of China if it expects protection and aid from the Chinese. While HO Chi-minh, leader of the Workers Party of Viet Nam, personally does not favor a split within the world communist movement, the majority of his Party's leadership are with the Chinese and will follow the CP of China.

While the CP of India still does not give majority support to the CP of China, the strength of the pro-Chinese element within that Party has been increasing on a steady basis over the past few months.

1 - Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Attention: Deputy Director, Plans

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1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. DeLoach
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1 - Mr. Branigan
1 - Mr. Baumgardner
1 - Mr. Shaw

March 26, 1964

BY LIAISON

Honorable Walter W. Jenkins
Special Assistant to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Jenkins:

Material in the enclosed memorandum was supplied by sources which have furnished reliable information in the past. The enclosed memorandum summarizes a recent exchange of letters between the Central Committees of the Communist Parties of China and the Soviet Union. Each Party charged the other with responsibility for the acrimonious Sino-Soviet dispute. The Soviets noted the willingness of the Chinese to convene a conference of all fraternal parties. In view of this, the Soviets made the following proposals: (1) to resume the meeting between Sino-Soviet representatives in Peking, China, in May, 1964; (2) to convene a preparatory conference of representatives of 26 fraternal parties in June-July, 1964; and (3) to convene an international conference in consultations with fraternal parties in the Fall of 1964.

Because of the sensitive nature of our sources, we have classified this communication and its enclosure "~~Top Secret~~." This information is being furnished to other interested officials of the Government.

Sincerely yours,

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TO : A. H. Belmont

FROM : W. C. Sullivan

SUBJECT: NY 694-S*
SOLO OPERATION

DATE: March 24, 1964

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. J.A. Sizoo
1 - Mr. D.E. Moore
1 - Mr. Baumgardner
1 - Mr. Wannall

In accordance with Bureau instructions I spent yesterday afternoon talking to the above-captioned informant. It will be recalled that several months ago I talked with this same person in some detail about the desirability of devising an operation for the purpose of penetrating Cuba. We have been working on this matter ever since. NY 694-S* has given the matter concentrated thought grounded in the many years of unique experiences which he has had. As a result of all this, the following plan of action has been devised.

(1) NY 694-S* will go to Gus Hall, suggesting that he prepare a letter to Castro, Cuban dictator, pointing out the inadequate relations existing between the Cuban Communist Party and the one in this country. The letter will explain the need for having closer and more efficient coordination of activities.

(2) This letter NY 694-S* will take with him on a trip to Russia, which he will make in April. In Russia he is confident he can get the support of the high-ranking officials to endorse this letter by Hall and also to provide the arrangements for travelling from Russia to Cuba in a Russian plane.

(3) NY 694-S* will develop this matter to the point where the Soviets will not only endorse his trip and provide transportation but he will also have their prestige with him all the time he is in Cuba, and he will live in the Soviet community there during the days spent in that country.

On arriving in Cuba, NY 694-S* will say the following to Fidel Castro.

(1) He will present the letter to Fidel Castro from Gus Hall and elaborate upon the need for better relations himself.

(2) He will discuss with Castro Beatrice Johnson's role in Cuba. Johnson is a member of the Communist Party, USA, who is a foreign correspondent for "The Worker" presently assigned to Cuba. She went to Cuba in the latter part of 1963 and has been having some difficulties because the Cuban communists have been somewhat Chinese oriented and she, of course, is Russian oriented. Further, she has been having some

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Memorandum for Mr. Belmont
RE: NY 694-S*
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financial difficulties. NY 694-S* will, therefore, discuss her entire assignment in Cuba with Castro.

(3) NY 694-S* will discuss with Castro the feasibility of establishing a small "business" front in the United States for the Communist Party, USA. The purpose of it would be to deal with some Cubans here who are interested in shipping food and some clothing to their relatives in Cuba. In substance, it would be a parcel shipping business. NY 694-S* has interested Hall in this because the Party would make a little profit. It would be of interest to Castro because of items being sent into Cuba. And, it would be of great interest to NY 694-S* and the FBI because the real purpose of this front would be to establish a permanent organizational reason for going in and out of Cuba. As NY 694-S* said, it would be our channel for espionage operations against Cuba. Depending upon the success of it, more persons could be drawn into it who could serve the aims of the FBI.

As I have previously mentioned, we have been working on this for some time and have probed all possible passages of the subject. Naturally, there will be some mechanical difficulties here and there that will have to be resolved, but they need not become serious obstacles. After having discussed this with NY 694-S* thoroughly, I am convinced that the above approach is a sound one and we should go ahead with it.

NY 694-S* twice asked to be remembered to the Director. He was very anxious to know if the Director saw all this important material he develops. I assured him the Director sees every single bit of it and is thoroughly familiar with the entire operation. This pleased NY 694-S* very much.

RECOMMENDATION:

(1) For the information of the Director.

(2) That approval be given for us to proceed with the expanded operation directed against Cuba in accordance with the plan outlined above.

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Evans
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan

The Attorney General

March 30, 1964

Director, FBI

- 1 - Mr. Wannall
- 1 - Mr. Baumgardner
- 1 - Mr. Shaw

FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - INDONESIA
INTERNAL SECURITY - INDONESIA

A most sensitive source of this Bureau which has furnished reliable information in the past has furnished the following information concerning your recent meeting with President Sukarno of Indonesia.

In early January, 1964, Dipa N. Aidit, General Secretary, Communist Party of Indonesia, and a member without portfolio of the cabinet of President Sukarno, noted that President Sukarno had told him that just prior thereto he had seen you and was still in the process of continuing discussions with you. According to Aidit, Sukarno stated he had promised you that there would be no confrontation of forces of Indonesia and Malaysia at this time. Aidit stated that Sukarno explained that he made this promise because Indonesia was not then in a position "to do it right now." According to Aidit, Sukarno further explained that "by avoiding a fight with the Americans at that time, they had also avoided enabling the Americans to save the British in that area."

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1 - The Deputy Attorney General

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1- Liaison
1- Mr. R.W. Smith
1- Mr. Shaw

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Date: March 27, 1964

To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: ⁵⁰¹⁰ FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - RUMANIA
INTERNAL SECURITY - RU

The following information was supplied by sources which have furnished reliable information in the past.

The differences currently existing between the Rumanian Workers Party and the Communist Party (CP) of the Soviet Union encompass more than economic differences alone. Although the Rumanian Workers Party is not lined up with the CP of China, it is using the Sino-Soviet ideological dispute to apply more pressure on the Soviet Union in order that it can secure more autonomy in its internal and international affairs. When the CP of the Soviet Union dispatched its letter of February 12, 1964, to various fraternal parties suggesting the possibility of holding an international conference to discuss the Sino-Soviet dispute, the Rumanians indicated they did not favor such a meeting. They pleaded that such a conference should not be held until another effort has been made to prevent a split in the international communist movement.

The Rumanian Workers Party formed a delegation of Party representatives led by Ion Gheorghe Maurer, Chairman of the Council of Ministers and a member of a political bureau of the Rumanian Workers Party, which it hoped could meet with representatives of the CP of China in an effort to resolve some existing ideological differences and avoid the

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necessity for a conference which would bring about a split in the world communist movement. Maurer was chosen to head this delegation by the Rumanian Workers Party because he was considered the closest among its leadership to the Chinese and closest to some degree to the Chinese point of view. The Rumanians believed that by heading their delegation with such an individual, the Chinese would pay more attention and look with sympathy at what he might have to offer.

1- Director
Central Intelligence Agency

Attention: Deputy Director, Plans

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1 - Mr. R.W. Smith
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1 - Mr. Shaw
BY LIAISON

To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: COMMUNIST PARTY, USA
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

The following information was supplied by a source which has furnished reliable information in the past.

In June, 1964, (first name unknown) Ciliaki, an Italian national assigned to the World Federation of Trade Unions, a communist-dominated organization which has its headquarters at Prague, Czechoslovakia, is scheduled to come to the United States to attend labor meetings being held at the United Nations in New York City. The World Federation of Trade Unions has requested that the Communist Party, USA, make arrangements for Ciliaki to meet with trade-union representatives representing both the "right and left" in the trade-union movement during his scheduled visit to the United States.

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1 - Director
Central Intelligence Agency

Attention: Deputy Director, Plans

1 - Mr. J. Walter Yeagley
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1 - Mr. Shaw

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Information has been received by the Bureau that the 100th anniversary celebration of the Communist First International will open in London, England, in September, 1964. This information has been classified "~~Secret~~" by the Bureau.

You should furnish this information to your source in b7D

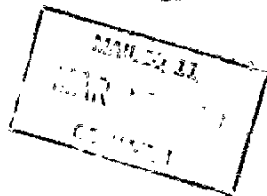
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NOTE:

Information is classified "~~Secret~~" because disclosure of this information to unauthorized persons would jeopardize the source who is furnishing information on a top-level basis concerning the international communist movement. Source is CG 5824-S* who received the information regarding the celebration of the First International from Norman Freed, a functionary of the Communist Party of Canada. See Chicago airtel 3/17/64, "Solo, Internal Security - C."

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Date: 3/24/64

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)
 SUBJECT: SOLO
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ReBuairtel, 3/13/64, concerning NY 694-S*'s contemplated trip to Moscow with his wife.

In reply to Bureau inquiries in the reairtel, NY 694-S* has advised as follows:

(1) ROSALYN CHILDS has never indicated that she knows, or suspects, NY 694-S*'s informant status, nor has NY 694-S* ever said or done anything to give her reason to know or suspect his informant status.

(2) Under no circumstances would NY 694-S* permit his wife to receive medical treatment in the Soviet Union in connection with her current illness. In an emergency situation, such as an accident, she would have to receive medical treatment. Since ROSALYN, however, has no knowledge or suspicion of NY 694-S*'s informant status, the use by the Soviets of an anesthetic in such a situation would not constitute a threat to the informant's security.

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(3) ROSALYN will not remain in the Soviet Union, but will return to the USA with NY 694-S*.

(4) GUS HALL is aware of NY 694-S*'s plans to travel to the Soviet Union with ROSALYN, but, realizing that the trip is essentially in the nature of a vacation for the informant and his wife, HALL has not instructed NY 694-S* to discuss any Party matters with the Soviets.

(5) NY 694-S* did not request that the Soviets invite him and his wife to the Soviet Union. The recent Soviet invitation did not come as a surprise however, since, periodically, over the years, the Soviets have extended such invitations to the informant.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

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ReCGairtel dated 3/16/64 and enclosed informant's statement.

Referenced informant's statement reflected that CG 5824-S* might possibly proceed to Toronto, Canada, and be available for discussions with CP of Canada leadership during the course of the CP of Canada National Convention, 3/26-29/64.

As of 3/25/64 CG 5824-S* advised that he has found it physically impossible at this time for him to proceed to Canada for convention discussions; however, there is still remote possibility that he could drive to Toronto for a period of a day. Source noted that while his own health is not good, he feels that the responsibility of overseeing the operation of the cover company in Chicago must take precedence and, therefore, was a determining factor concerning his ability to proceed to Canada at this time. As the Bureau is aware, CS CG 6651-S has been hospitalized and continues to be hospitalized and, therefore, is not available to handle cover company operations. In addition, source advised that during the forthcoming week he must travel to NYC to be available for discussions relative to the National Executive Committee meeting and have discussions with NY 694-S*. In view of the above and continuing local demands of the Party, source noted he had to make the decision to forego the Canadian trip at this time.

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Wannall
1 - Mr. Branigan
1 - Mr. Baumgardner
1 - Liaison
1 - Mr. Shaw

March 26, 1964

BY LIAISON

Honorable John A. McCone
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. McCone:

Material in the enclosed memorandum was supplied by sources which have furnished reliable information in the past. The enclosed memorandum summarizes a recent exchange of letters between the Central Committees of the Communist Parties of China and the Soviet Union. Each Party charged the other with responsibility for the acrimonious Sino-Soviet dispute. The Soviets noted the willingness of the Chinese to convene a conference of all fraternal parties. In view of this, the Soviets made the following proposals: (1) to resume the meeting between Sino-Soviet representatives in Peking, China, in May, 1964; (2) to convene a preparatory conference of representatives of 26 fraternal parties in June-July, 1964; and (3) to convene an international conference in consultations with fraternal parties in the Fall of 1964.

Because of the sensitive nature of our sources, we have classified this communication and its enclosure "~~Top Secret~~." This information is being furnished to other interested officials of the Government.

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Sincerely yours,

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Honorable John A. McCone

NOTE:

Classified "~~Top Secret~~" because unauthorized disclosure of this information could reveal the identity of the source, who is of continuing value, and such revelation could result in exceptionally grave damage to the Nation. Source is NY 694-S*, who is referred to as "sources" in order to further protect the identity of this informant. Information extracted from New York airtel 3-19-64, "Solo, IS-C."

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)

SUBJECT: SOLO
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ReNYairtel, 3/11/64, captioned as above, advising of NY 694-S*'s plan to accept the Soviet invitation for him and his wife ROSALYN to go to Moscow.

On 3/27/64, NY 694-S* furnished the following information to SAS JOHN DENNIS O'CONNELL and ALEXANDER C. BURLINSON:

On 3/26/64, the informant discussed with GUS HALL his contemplated trip to Moscow. HALL stated that he considered it to be an excellent idea, particularly with respect to the fact that the trip might be beneficial to the informant's wife ROSALYN and give the informant an opportunity to learn the most recent developments with respect to the Soviet-Chinese dispute.

In the course of the conversation, NY 694-S* raised the question with HALL whether or not it might be opportune that on his leaving Moscow, he go to Cuba. HALL stated that in view of the current situation in Cuba--particularly with respect to the Cuban trials--he would be most interested in the informant's going to Cuba at this time. According to HALL, he

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(3) believes that "it may be a purge with Castro in the middle between the oldtimers and the new people." He said he would be particularly interested in getting a correct evaluation of the Cuban situation at this time. HALL stated that he would give to NY 694-S* a letter to Castro suggesting that this is the time for improving relations between the Castro regime and the CPUSA. To give the informant added prestige in Cuba, it was agreed between HALL and NY 694-S* that the latter, while in the Soviet Union, obtain from the Soviets a letter to Castro requesting that every consideration be shown to the informant while in Cuba.

(5) (In this connection, NY 694-S* stated he would so arrange it in Moscow that he would be flown to Cuba in a Russian plane, that while in Cuba he would be the guest of the Soviets, living at a Soviet establishment, and that he return to Moscow from Cuba before ultimately returning to the USA. As regards his wife ROSALYN, informant stated that he would not take her to Cuba but would arrange that she return to the USA at the time when he would leave the Soviet Union for Cuba. NY 694-S* further stated that by utilizing the above arrangements, he would be going to Cuba as "a very important person," and would be treated as such by the Cubans, particularly by Castro.)

HALL stated that within the next day or so, he would meet NY 694-S* for the purpose of their preparing a letter for the informant to deliver to Castro in Cuba.

NY 694-S* stated that he expects to perfect arrangements whereby liaison between the Soviets and the CPUSA will be maintained while the informant is out of the USA. He plans to discontinue radio contact with the Soviets while he is out of the country but to maintain contact through CG 5824-S*, who would make personal contact with the Soviets when and if it should be desired, either by the Soviets or by the CPUSA. In this connection, he plans to utilize, for the first time, the services of NY 4309-S to the extent that NY 4309-S will serve as the means of notifying CG 5824-S* that the Soviets wish to make contact, and to notify

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the Soviets that CG 5824-S* wishes to make contact. In NY 4309-S's operations in this respect, he will have no knowledge of the identities of the individuals who are involved in this operation. Further details regarding this matter will be furnished to the Bureau in a subsequent communication.

According to the informant's present plan, depending upon his wife's physical condition, and his securing necessary travel documents for his wife, he will leave the United States for Moscow as soon as possible after April 6, 1964.

NY 694-S* advised that GUS HALL stated that the speech of Senator FULBRIGHT is "the most important speech made in the last 20 years." HALL stated that he desired that NY 694-S* obtain copies of the Congressional Record in which appears the full text of the FULBRIGHT speech and the related debate, and furnish the same as soon as possible to the Soviets and to BEATRICE JOHNSON, the CPUSA representative in Cuba.

The Bureau and Chicago will be advised regarding further arrangements being made with respect to the informant's and his wife's going to Moscow, and concerning the informant's contemplated trip to Cuba.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

Date: 3/30/64

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

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Re Chicago airtel dated 3/26/64.

Enclosed herewith for the New York Office to be transmitted to NY 694-S* is a letter dated 3/26/64, addressed "Strojimport Vaclavske namesti I Prague 1, Czechoslovakia," prepared by MAX WEINSTEIN of Chicago and turned over by that individual to CG 5824-S*. At the time WEINSTEIN turned over this letter, he indicated he had sent a similar letter by regular mail to the addressee. Also enclosed is a copy of a letter dated 3/10/64, which was attached by MAX WEINSTEIN to the letter of 3/26/64 which had been prepared by the Goulding Manufacturing Company, Saginaw, Michigan.

CG 5824-S* requested the above letter of 3/26/64 and the attached letter of 3/10/64 be provided to NY 694-S* as soon as possible as it related to the material previously sent to New York with referenced airtel.

Xerox copies of the above items are enclosed herewith for the Bureau and New York.

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Mid-Continent Trading Co.
600 S. Michigan Ave., Suite 923
Chicago, Illinois 60605

March 26, 1964

Strojimport
Vaclavske namesti I
Prague 1, Czechoslovakia

Dear Sirs: Attention: Ing. Ludek Kratochvil
 Vice President


As you requested, I am enclosing a catalogue from the Goulding Mfg. Co. on equipment for making plastic in flat sheets.

You will note, from the enclosed copy of their letter, that it will be necessary for us to have specifications before we can further pursue this matter. Won't you please send them on to us.

In the near future, we will be sending you information on other equipment, as you requested.

With all good wishes, I remain

Faithfully yours,


Max Weinstein

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GOULDING MFG. CO., INC.

2029 River St.

Saginaw, Michigan

March 10, 1964

Dear Sir:

In response to your letter of March 9 we are pleased to enclose our complete brochure of equipment we manufacture for the plastic industry. As you will note, this equipment is for flat sheet, thickness ranges from .020 to .375 and widths from 24" to 78".

We will be glad to discuss your specific requirements and will furnish quotations to your specifications. If we can be of any further assistance, please feel free to call on us.

Thanking you for your interest, we remain

Yours very truly,

GOULDING MFG. COMPANY, INC.

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FBI

Date: 3/26/64

Transmit the following in _____
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
(ATT: ASST. DIRECTOR WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN)
(ATT: ASST. DIRECTOR I. W. CONRAD)
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)
SUBJECT: SOLO
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Enclosed herewith are 25 blank copies of IBM form utilized by NY State Motor Vehicle Department for operator's licenses. The Laboratory is requested to duplicate an operator's license in the name of ROSALYN PEARL CITRON, 513 E 12 St, New York NY, with date of birth 7/02/15, sex F, height 5'4", eyes HA. It should be noted that HA stands for hazel, and in the address the indication E stands for East. It should also be noted that a zero is utilized where the day of birth is a single number.

In order to make the duplication, there are also being enclosed the valid driver's licenses of SAS NEIL P. DIVERS and both of whom are assigned to the New York Office having no immediate need for these licenses. There is also enclosed three autostat copies of the operator's license of SA EDWARD J. MULHOLLAND.

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It has been determined by the New York Office that the license number given to each licensee starts with the initial letter that appears in the operator's last name and the next two numbers apparently stand for the second letter of the last name of the operator. Efforts are being made to obtain the meaning of the rest of the numbers as to any significance in coding. As soon as this information is obtained, the Bureau will be advised.

The Laboratory is requested ~~to return~~ the valid operator's licenses of SAS DIVERS and [REDACTED] at the earliest possible convenience.

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3-31-64

Director, FBI (100-428091)

1 - Mr. Shaw

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Reurlet 3-20-64 which relates to the preparation of a new cover legend for CG 5824-S*. Relet requests the Bureau to search the name of Sydney Smith Lesser through its indices and to determine whether or not a passport has ever been issued in the name of Sydney Smith Lesser and whether or not any stop has been placed against that name in the files of the Department of State.

The Bureau indices contain no identifiable information concerning Sydney Smith Lesser. Bureau indices disclose that one Sydney Lesser, of San Antonio, Texas, was the victim in an interstate transportation of stolen property case. In this particular case some travelers checks were stolen from Sydney Lesser while he was visiting in Mexico. No descriptive information concerning Sydney Lesser is available in that particular case.

The files of the Passport Office, Department of State, contain no record of a passport having ever been issued in the name of Sydney Smith Lesser, and there is no stop placed against this name in the files of the Department of State.

The Bureau approves the use of the name of Sydney Smith Lesser in a new cover legend, and you should proceed with the construction of the additional appropriate components of the legend.

Keep the Bureau advised of all developments.

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Letter to Chicago
RE: SOLO
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NOTE:

CG 5824-S* utilized the cover name of Harold M. Jules on the last three Solo missions and as a result the passport utilized under this name contains visas as well as entry and exit stamps associated with each mission. Continued use of this passport which shows so many trips within communist countries in a period of little more than one year could constitute a jeopardy to the security of this operation by drawing the attention of other intelligence agencies to CG 5824-S*. In view of this, it is deemed prudent to establish another cover legend which will be available when needed. In this connection, Chicago has selected the name Sydney Smith Lesser from the records of the Vital Statistics in Chicago, whose age closely matches that of CG 5824-S*. A search of Chicago indices and all available directories failed to reveal any record of Lesser in the Chicago area. SA Orin Bartlett determined that no passport had been issued in the name of Sydney Smith Lesser and that no stop has been placed against this name at the State Department.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

Legat, Ottawa

3/31/64

Director, FBI (100-428091)

1-Mr. Wannall
1-Mr. Shaw

COMMUNIST PARTY, USA
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
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There are enclosed three copies of a letter-head memorandum classified "~~Top Secret~~" and captioned "Communist Party of Canada."

You may furnish a copy of the enclosed memorandum to your source in the [redacted]

[redacted] At the time the memorandum is furnished your [redacted] source, it should be impressed upon him that due to the sensitive nature of our sources it is essential that no distribution or use of our intelligence information be undertaken which would be likely to jeopardize the security of our sources. b7D

Enclosures - 3

1 - Foreign Liaison Unit / *act LPR 3/1* (route through for review) (Enc.)



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1-Mr. Wannall
1-Mr. Shaw

COMMUNIST PARTY OF CANADA

Sources, which have furnished reliable information in the past recently obtained from representatives of the Communist Party, USA (CPUSA) the following information pertaining to the Communist Party (CP) of Canada.

The CP of Canada has apologized to CPUSA General Secretary, Gus Hall, for having endeavored to tone down certain arguments that Hall was intending to publish relative to the dissident action of the CP of China. The leadership of the CP of Canada now realizes, based on its own experiences, that Hall's estimate had been borne out and was correct.

The Canadian CP is experiencing some problems as a result of the differences which have been taking place between the older membership and the youth. Leslie Morris, General Secretary, CP of Canada, is not the dynamic leader that Tim Buck was. Buck was extremely popular with the membership of the Canadian CP and was constantly working directly with the membership. Morris, although a competent leader, seems content to remain aloof and has very little direct contact with the membership.

Because of the sensitive nature of our sources, it is essential that the contents of this memorandum be afforded careful security and its use restricted to a need-to-know basis.

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1 - Foreign Liaison Unit

Original and two to Legat, Ottawa, by letter dated 3/31/64.

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Re: COMMUNIST PARTY, USA
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Source is CG 5824-S* who is referred to as sources in order to further protect the identity of this source. See Chicago airtel 3/18/64, captioned "Solo, IS-C" with enclosed informant's statement captioned, "Results of Visit of Norman Freed, Communist Party of Canada Representative to 'World Marxist Review; Prague, Czechoslovakia, to New York City, March 10-13, 1964."

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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Date: 3/18/64

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL REGISTERED
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)
 SUBJECT: SOLO
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On 3/17/64, there was received at a New York mail drop, a note from LESLIE MORRIS, National Secretary of the Canadian CP, for transmission to GUS HALL. The said note enclosed a letter to MORRIS from BEATRICE JOHNSON, CPUSA representative in Cuba. The aforesaid letter from BEATRICE JOHNSON, intended to be transmitted by MORRIS to GUS HALL, is as follows:

"February 20, 1964

"Dear Leslie:

"How are you and how is the Congress preparations going? You must be over your neck in work and here I am adding to your problems, but you asked for it.

"Please tell friends that I had a fine talk with a good old friend here and I hope that things will now take hold on a firmer and regular basis. I have already issued the first Bulletin of doings trends and opinions and they are very pleased to have it. Now if the proposals we make-Win knows about them- are accepted I must have a quick way to get it to our people- the text I will wire to my paper, but I want a quick official reply. Anyway, I will keep in touch with you as quickly as I can. Perhaps next week I will write agin.

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 ③ - BUREAU (100-428091)(RM)
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"Please also tell them that Cuba Socialista wants an analysis of action and opinion re Cuban-USA relations. They would like to have it for the April issue. It might also be an article on the effect of the embargo on trade and jobs by Perlo or Allen. At any rate that is the type of thing they want. If its published in P. A., it can be reprinted or send to me in manuscript. Let them send copy P. A. to Cuba Socialista, even if it comes later, they want to get it themselves and follow things. They were critical of the magazines coverage of Cuba. It is not entirely justified, still more of an original nature can be done. I promised to convey their opinion. They are now translating a few things from the December P. A. Hope they print it. I have done a piece on Bill Z. for the anniversary.

"Otherwise things are going along. The indignation re the fisherman scandal is running high. I was at the Base border, at Gauntamano city and heard an ear full about the provocations and abuses they are subjected to daily in that area. The State dept. is still living in the times of Teddy Roosevelt. They better wake up- the Latin Americans have had it. They will not take any more of their arrogance and abuse. The time is past and its a great feeling to hear the laid off workmen say: we dont need them. Our government will give us work. There was a time when we either worked for the Base or starved, the time is past. Its a proud feeling."

NY 694-S* advised that the word "friends" in paragraph 2 refers to the CPUSA, particularly GUS HALL. The informant did not know to whom BEATRICE JOHNSON referred when she mentioned "good old friend" in paragraph 2. "Win", in paragraph 2, refers to HENRY WINSTON. "Perlo", in paragraph 4, refers to VICTOR PERLO, CPUSA economist and "Allen", in the same paragraph, refers to JAMES ALLEN of "International Publishers". "P. A.", in the same paragraph, refers to "Political Affairs." "Bill Z.", in paragraph 5, refers to WILLIAM Z. FOSTER.

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Date: 3/26/64

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)
 SUBJECT: SOLO
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NY 694-S* advised SA JOHN DENNIS O'CONNELL and
 SA ALEXANDER C. BURLINSON on 3/26/64 as follows:

On 3/25/64, LEM HARRIS, CPUSA functionary associated with the Reserve Fund operation, told the informant that he and GUS HALL had discussed a young pianist named [redacted] 24 years of age, a Party member for the past six months. He stated that [redacted] had shown great promise as a pianist and in the opinion of HALL and HARRIS, he may be "even greater than [redacted]." According to LEM HARRIS, [redacted] was the chief entertainer at the 40th Anniversary Celebration of "The Worker" at Carnegie Hall. He has played in numerous concerts throughout the country and has been the subject of newspaper articles for some time. Further, according to LEM HARRIS, [redacted] has done considerable traveling in behalf of the State Department in relation to the State Department's cultural program. He is a "devoted follower of JESUS COLON and the latter's wife BERTHA." (JESUS COLON, member of the CPUSA National Committee, is subject of Bufile 101-6498.) COLON, HARRIS stated, "has tremendous influence on [redacted]"

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HALL has suggested that NY 694-S* contact the Soviets to ascertain whether or not it can be arranged that [redacted] go to the Soviet Union to study at a Soviet conservatory of music.

A check of the indices of the NYO reflected no information concerning [redacted]

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The NYO is opening a case on the above-mentioned

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NR ✓ 95-76030

✓ 66-2120 (no serials)

NR 62-23253 ✓

NR 67-82790

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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TO : Mr. Conrad
FROM : C. F. Downing
SUBJECT: SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

DATE: March 30, 1964

On 3/30/64 at approximately 11:45 A.M., Supervisor [redacted] New York Office, telephonically furnished the text of three messages the informant desired to transmit and requested they be enciphered. Enciphered text furnished to New York, 3/30/64, 4:30 P.M.

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The plain text of the messages is set forth below.
The cipher text is attached.

[redacted] (repeat) [redacted] GIL GREEN (repeat)
GIL GREEN. HIS PASSPORT NUMBER IS [redacted]

REFEREE (Central Committee) (space) CONFIDENTIAL (space) YOUR COOPERATION IN HELPING SPRING (Jack Brooks) TO GO TO BAY (Cuba) ON A MISSION FOR ME IS MOST IMPORTANT AND WILL BE GREATLY APPRECIATED. HIS MISSION IS IMPORTANT FOR OUR LANE (CP) AND FOR YOURS AS WELL. HE WILL ACT THERE ON MY BEHALF. WHILE IN HOTEL (Moscow) HE WILL TELL YOU OF HIS NEEDS WHILE IN BAY (Cuba). BIRCH (Gus Hall).

REFEREE (Central Committee) (space) WHILE SPRING (Jack Brooks) WILL COME TO VISIT AND TOUR NEST (USSR) HE WILL ALSO TAKE UP SOME MATTERS OF IMPORT FOR ME AND OUR LANE (CP) AS WELL AS SOME IMPORTANT ASPECTS OF HIS WORK AND IN THIS CONNECTION WOULD LIKE TO MEET WITH HIS SPECIAL BIRDS (CP Members) ON FURTHER IMPROVEMENT OF OUR CONTACT. BIRCH (Gus Hall).

GIL GREEN is a long time Communist Party functionary.

ACTION:

For information.

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Enclosure

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

SUBJECT: SOLO
IS - C

DATE: March 20, 1964

As the Bureau is aware, the current cover legend for use on Solo Missions is the legend in the name of HAROLD M. JULES. It was under this cover that the 11th, 13th and 14th Solo Missions were accomplished by CG 5824-S* on the following dates: October 16-December 17, 1962; August 7-25, 1963, and November 1-December 2, 1963. In each instance, the same passport has been utilized and as a result thereof, this passport contains visas and entry and exit stamps associated with each trip behind the Iron Curtain. As a matter of fact, the Communist Party of the Soviet Union arranged to make additional entries in his passport since it was not deemed advisable by them for CG 5824-S*'s passport to reflect stays of such long duration in the socialist countries and, therefore, his passport contains visas and entry and exit stamps indicating a total of five entries into Czechoslovakia, two sets on each of the 11th and 14th Missions and one set on the 13th Mission, which was of much shorter duration. The Czech visas fill almost a complete page each.

Continued use of a passport which shows so many trips within the socialist countries in a period of little more than one year could very well constitute a jeopardy to the security of this operation. This amount of activity might very conceivably draw the attention of other intelligence services to our informant. Of course, it would be possible to make application for a new passport, although the current one is valid until September 27, 1965, and with one renewal is valid until September 27, 1967, by reporting that it has been lost or destroyed. However, the practice of the Passport Office, United States Department of State, is not to issue new passports on this basis until after "exhaustive investigation," which includes the filing of affidavits and the requirement that the passport holder must have notified the police, etc. We do not believe this would be a wise course of action in this case.

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The alternative would be to mutilate the present passport by dropping it into water. Since passports are so made that the printing therein readily runs upon contact with water, it would be so mutilated as to be unusable and the Department of State would have to reissue the passport. Chicago is currently considering this means of securing a clean passport without discarding the current legend, which is only about one and one-half years old at this time.

However, in order to be prepared for all eventualities, it is believed it would be prudent to establish an alternate cover legend which will be available for use when needed. The basic document necessary for the construction of such a legend is a record of birth, and rather than fabricate such a document in the Laboratory as has been done before, we wish to propose the following:

As the Bureau will recall, when it became necessary in September, 1962, to obtain a birth record for CG 6653-S to accompany CG 5824-S* on the 11th Solo Mission, we merely obtained the record of birth of GENKA GATKENIC from the Bureau of Vital Statistics, Chicago, Illinois, whose age closely matched that of CG 6653-S. A search of the Chicago indices and all available directories in the Chicago area as well as a credit and criminal check in that name failed to reveal any record of this individual in the Chicago area. Chicago requested the Bureau to check Bureau indices, which were also negative. Through liaison, the Bureau ascertained that no passport had ever been issued in that name and that no stops had been placed with the Passport Office against that name. As a result, we had an absolutely clean name to use as the maiden name for the cover legend for CG 6653-S, whose passport was then obtained in the married name of GENKA JULES.

Chicago believes that this is an acceptable method for obtaining such a record of birth for a new cover legend for CG 5824-S* and CG 6653-S. Therefore, Chicago obtained the names of five individuals of the approximate age of CG 5824-S* having valid records of birth at the Bureau of Vital Statistics, Chicago, Illinois. Chicago indices were checked, credit and criminal checks made, and all available local directories were checked. Of the five names obtained, two were found to be clean: SYDNEY SMITH LESSER and EDWIN SLICER. Both of these names were proposed to CG 5824-S*, who advised that the latter, SLICER, would not be as acceptable as the first in view of

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possible errors in pronunciation, transliteration, etc., which might occur when this name is rendered in a foreign language such as German or Russian. Set forth below is the information concerning LESSER available at the Bureau of Vital Statistics, Chicago:

Name	SYDNEY SMITH LESSER
Sex	Male
Race	White
Date of Birth	February 11, 1902
Place of Birth	Chicago, Illinois
Father	ARNELL LESSER; age 20; born Illinois; nationality French; occupation shipping clerk (above Chicago checks negative)
Mother	HATTIE PRITCHARD; age 21; born New York; nationality English (above Chicago checks negative)
Address	3517 Forest Avenue Chicago, Illinois (1902)

The Bureau is requested to search Bureau indices and providing this search fails to reveal derogatory information and providing the Bureau sees no other objection to the use of this name for this purpose, the Bureau is requested through liaison to determine whether or not a passport has been issued by the Passport Office, United States Department of State, under this name and whether or not any stop has been placed against that name in the files of the United States Department of State. Provided such checks prove favorable, Chicago will then proceed with the construction of the additional appropriate components of this legend. For the Bureau's information, we are now in the process of obtaining suitable names for the Bureau's consideration in the construction of an accompanying legend for CG 6653-S.

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Subject Walter Pritchard Lister
 Birthdate & Place Ill
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Subject Sydney Smith Lesser
 Birthdate & Place 3-11-02 Ill.
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- Subject Arnold, Fesser
Birthdate & Place Ill
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TO : Mr. Conrad *He*

FROM : *He* C. F. Downing

DATE: March 30, 1964

SUBJECT: SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Captioned case involves the Bureau's highly valuable confidential informant NY 694-S* who has been receiving communications directed to him by radio.

On 3/30/64, transmissions were heard by the Bureau's radio station at Midland on scheduled times and frequencies at which time one message, NR 714 GR 23, was sent. This message was previously sent on 3/23/64 and its text was the subject of a memorandum to you of the same date.

ACTION:

For information.

2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)

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3/27/64

Airtel

1 - Mr. Reddy

To: SAC, New York

From: Director, FBI (100-3 Sub 81)

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COMMUNIST PARTY, USA
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

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Pursuant to the telephonic request of ASAC Roney, there are attached three copies each of the 3/25 and 3/26/64 issues of the Congressional record.

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The pertinent comments of Senator Fulbright begin on page 6208 of the 3/25/64 issue and on page 6227 of the 3/26/64 issue.

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NOTE:

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ASAC Roney, New York, telephonically advised Section Chief F. J. Baumgardner this afternoon that Gus Hall, General Secretary, Communist Party, USA, has instructed New York informant, NY 694-S, to transmit to the Soviets, 3 copies each of the 3/25/64 and 3/26/64 issues of the Congressional record. Although Hall did not indicate to the informant what his specific purpose was in sending these issues of the Congressional record to the Soviets, he did indicate that the material of interest consisted of comments by Senator Fulbright. Fulbright's comments on these dates relate to United State foreign policy. ASAC Roney requested that the Bureau immediately transmit to New York, 3 copies each of these issues of the Congressional record.

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MAIL ROOM ☒ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

3-31-64

Airtel

To: SAC, New York (100-134637)

From: Director, FBI (100-428091)

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Reference is made to New York airtel of March 26, 1964, which furnished twenty-five blank copies of IBM form utilized by New York State Motor Vehicle Department for operator's licenses and requested the Laboratory to duplicate an operator's license in the name of Rosalyn Pearl Citron.

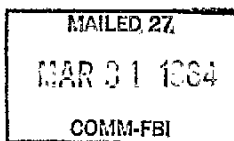
The duplicated operator's license and the valid operators' licenses of SAs Divers and [redacted] are attached. b6 b7C

Since none of the sample valid drivers' licenses contain more than the middle initial in each instance, the full name Pearl was not spelled out on the duplicated license attached.

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SAC, New York (100-134637)

April 3, 1964

Director, FBI (100-428091)

1- Mr. Shaw

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Reurlet 3-27-64 which relates to the cooperation rendered by officials of the International Business Machine Corporation (IBM) in obtaining for your office blank driver's license forms which were used in supplying the wife of NY 694-S* a means of identification.

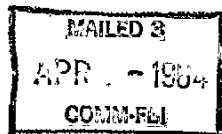
In relet you recommended in view of the outstanding service rendered by these IBM officials that individual letters from the Director be sent to them expressing appreciation for the service performed for the FBI.

The Bureau appreciates the cooperation extended by these IBM officials. However, in view of the extremely sensitive nature of the Solo operation, it is not deemed judicious to acknowledge their cooperation in writing.

NOTE:

The wife of NY 694-S* will accompany informant on a Solo trip to the Soviet Union in April, 1964. It was necessary to fabricate for her a New York State driver's license to be used as identification when applying for a passport. Efforts to obtain blank driver's license forms from the New York State Motor Vehicle authorities were not successful. IBM prints these forms and two IBM officials exhibited outstanding cooperation in obtaining the forms for us. IBM was put to considerable expense in handling this matter for us. It is not felt that the cooperation of these IBM officials should be acknowledged in writing because it involves an aspect of our Solo operation and could conceivably jeopardize the security of this very sensitive operation.

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MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

FBI

Date: 4/1/64

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL REGISTERED
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
(ATT: ASST. DIRECTOR WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)

SUBJECT: SOLO
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On 4/1/64, NY 694-S* furnished the following information to SA JOHN DENNIS O'CONNELL:

At 6:00 p.m. on 3/31/64, NY 694-S* met his Soviet contact ALEKSEY KOLOBASHKIN in the area of the "Armstrong" rendezvous. While strolling in the area, NY 694-S* asked KOLOBASHKIN if he would be agreeable to taking the envelope with the pictures outlining the coming meets with CG 5824-S*. KOLOBASHKIN agreed and took the envelope, and both he and NY 694-S*, while strolling, had the following discussion:

KOLOBASHKIN told NY 694-S* that on 4/7/64, he will turn over to him an additional \$150,000 in the same manner and following the same procedure as he did previously. KOLOBASHKIN

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- 3 - BUREAU (Encl. 1) (RM)
 - 1 - CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B) (Encl. 1) (AM RM)
 - 1 - NY 134-91 (Inv) (41)
 - 1 - NY 105-36402 (ALEKSEY M. KOLOBASHKIN) (341)
 - 1 - NY 100-134637 (41)

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Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

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told NY 694-S* however that he would change the time of delivering the money to 3:20 p.m. and that at 2:50 p.m., NY 694-S* will put the piece of black tape at the same telephone booth (Whitehall and Bridge Streets, telephone WH 4-9530). NY 694-S* advised that KOLOBASHKIN indicated that he would deliver the money "in a shopping bag" which indicates that they probably would not use the black bag that had been used on the previous occasion. KOLOBASHKIN told NY 694-S* that this will be the last time they will use this method of delivering the money; that at the next meeting whereby they would pass money it will be delivered in any one of the following three buildings whichever NY 694-S* chooses:

1. Midland Marine Trust Building, Liberty and Washington Streets, NYC; which has two exits and automatic elevators;
2. 276 Fifth Avenue (between 29th and 30th Streets), NYC, which also has automatic elevators;
3. 5 Union Square, NYC, which building has automatic elevators.

KOLOBASHKIN indicated that the transaction will be made in the same manner as was done in the past, and when NY 694-S* again meets with KOLOBASHKIN on 4/7/64, NY 694-S* can tell him which of these three buildings he prefers to have the transaction take place.

KOLOBASHKIN advised NY 694-S* that in the money delivered on 4/7/64, there is a possibility that there may be an additional sum in the package which should be delivered to JESSICA SMITH (National Council of American-Soviet Friendship). KOLOBASHKIN told NY 694-S* that he did not know what the exact amount would be but that if this extra amount was not in the package, he will tell NY 694-S* what the amount should be and NY 694-S* can put it out for JESSICA SMITH and the Soviets will make it up to him at a later date.

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At this point, since it was extremely cold to continue walking, NY 694-S* and KOLOBASHKIN entered a restaurant, Constantine's, 153-33 Hillside Avenue, Jamaica, NY, where they had dinner and continued their discussions. KOLOBASHKIN told NY 694-S* that the Central Committee sent GUS HALL their regrets about that book which they called "Judaism Without Varnish" by T. K. KICHKO. KOLOBASHKIN indicated that the Soviets were sorry about that book and that they admitted to him that the book was a mistake and that it was a mistake to have such a book written. KOLOBASHKIN then handed NY 694-S* two copies of an official press release of the Soviet Mission to the UN concerning this book. A Photostat of this release is attached for the information of the Bureau and Chicago as an enclosure. One copy was sent by NY 694-S* to GUS HALL.

KOLOBASHKIN also indicated to NY 694-S* that one of these days an official statement will be made by top people in the Soviet Union stating that the book was not meant to be. NY 694-S* told KOLOBASHKIN that GUS HALL was very angry about this book, that the Party had asked for it and the Russians had refused to send him the book. KOLOBASHKIN replied to NY 694-S* that HALL must believe that they told the truth, that those in the Mission never saw the book and still have not seen it.

KOLOBASHKIN asked NY 694-S* to furnish him with a list of Americans who they can invite to their important functions and NY 694-S* told KOLOBASHKIN that it was up to GUS HALL and that he would bring it to HALL's attention again. KOLOBASHKIN said the pressure was being put on him about this. (NY 694-S* stated that HALL does not want to give them any such list.)

KOLOBASHKIN advised NY 694-S* that there is a possibility that there may not be a May 1st reception this year at the Soviet UN Mission.

KOLOBASHKIN and NY 694-S* then discussed the latter's trip and it was agreed that KOLOBASHKIN would notify the Soviets

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of his departure, arrange for his being met and to have floating visas waiting either in Washington or Zurich for him. NY 694-S* emphasized to KOLOBASHKIN the point of [redacted] (GIL GREEN's [redacted] going over and that he should be treated as a VIP. NY 694-S* also mentioned the new code and indicated that KOLOBASHKIN welcomed it. (Bureau and Chicago will be advised by separate communication of the new code which contains additions of new and present day phraseology.)

NY 694-S* advised that KOLOBASHKIN had nothing to say concerning yesterday's attack on the Soviet Union by the Chinese CP, but indicated that KOLOBASHKIN was of the opinion that the Chinese were violent because of the last Soviet letter and that in his opinion this was only the beginning.

With regard to the question of contact with CG 5824-S*, NY 694-S*, after discussing the photographs with KOLOBASHKIN concerning the "meets", stated that they agreed to make one revision and that the revision is if no contact is made on either side by May 7th (while NY 694-S* is away), KOLOBASHKIN does not have to go to "Berkman" as instructed on the microfilm, but instead at 2:00 p.m. sharp, KOLOBASHKIN will telephone MU 5-9774. If there is no answer it will mean that CG 5824-S* does not want to see him that day. However, if CG 5824-S* answers, he will identify himself by saying, "Hello. This is Mr. Berkman. I would like to see you tomorrow at 7:00." This will mean that they will meet the next day, May 8, 1964, at "Berkman" at 7:00 p.m. in the same manner. If there is no answer on the 7th of May, KOLOBASHKIN should call that number again on the 14th of May and have the same conversation with resulting meeting on the following day, the 15th of May, 1964.

NY 694-S* advised KOLOBASHKIN that his camera was not

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functioning properly for microfilming and told KOLOBASHKIN that in the event the latter has trouble developing the film, KOLOBASHKIN should leave a piece of black tape behind the receiver on the telephone at Whitehall and Bridge Streets, WH 4-9530, and that if NY 694-S* sees the black tape, he will remove it, and on the following day, 4/2/64, he will put a similar roll of undeveloped film at Sister Margaret.

NY 694-S* agreed to give KOLOBASHKIN's regards to the Soviet security men when he goes across and that he will discuss with them the entire procedure of their "meets" and "drops". NY 694-S* and KOLOBASHKIN agreed that so far they have been very lucky and that they will rely on the Soviets to make suggestions concerning new methods, new neighborhoods, etc., to which KOLOBASHKIN agreed.

NY 694-S* stated KOLOBASHKIN advised him (although he was no authority) that NY 694-S* should have no problem in getting into Cuba.

NY 694-S* mentioned to KOLOBASHKIN that the film the Soviets have been giving him has been somewhat over-exposed, to which KOLOBASHKIN replied that "he would tell the chap who does it to watch out for it." (NY 694-S* stated that apparently KOLOBASHKIN is not doing it himself.)

Before terminating the meeting, NY 694-S* gave to KOLOBASHKIN on microfilm several messages as follows:

1. A ciphered-coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"Central Committee, CPSU

"Please have floating visas for Czechoslovakia for Jack Brooks and Mrs. Jack Brooks, whose surname on passport will be Citron. These will be picked up in Czechoslovakian Embassy, Washington, and/or Czechoslovakian Embassy, Zurich.

"Jack Brooks"

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2. A ciphered-coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"Central Committee, CPSU

"While Jack Brooks will come to visit and tour USSR, he will also take up some matters of import for me and our CP as well as some important aspects of his work and in this connection would like to meet with his special CP members on further improving of our contact.

"Gus Hall"

3. A ciphered-coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"Central Committee, CPSU

"Your cooperation in helping Jack Brooks to go to Cuba on a mission for me is most important and will be greatly appreciated. His mission is important for our CP and for yourself as well. He will act there on my behalf. While in Moscow he will tell of his needs while in Cuba.

"Gus Hall"

4. A partially coded message with a ciphered-coded addendum, which reads as follows:

"Central Committee, CPSU

"Please accept Gil Green" [redacted] as your guest for ten days to two weeks to tour and see USSR. He will be in London and will ask your London Embassy for visa to Moscow. [redacted] is active in Youth and this

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"invitation can be counted on our quota. He will have transportation fare to Moscow. It is important to Gil Green that this trip be a success to [redacted] [redacted] who in these last many years was a great inspiration and strength to [redacted] although he did not see him since [redacted] Gus Hall too stresses the success of this trip for youth and so do I. Please notify your London Embassy that [redacted] [redacted] will get his visa there for Moscow. He will be there second or third week in April.

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"Morris Childs"

The addendum to this message reads:

[redacted] Gil Green. His passport number is [redacted]

5. The following is the open code which we have been using and will continue to use. I have added some new terms and subtracted some. Also you will note the addition of new and present day phraseology. Therefore it is now the open code we will use from today on.

(Bureau and Chicago, as previously stated, will be furnished copy of this under separate communication.)

6. A partially coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"Central Committee

"Max Bedacht, who was once a very prominent leader in the early CP movement in the USA and was one of the original members of the leading National Executive Committee, recently offered to donate to CP his entire library of Marxist-Leninist documents. Bedacht's

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"library is considered extremely valuable and contains many original first editions of old Marxist-Leninist works as they appeared in the original language. Bedacht has complete sets of Inprecor which are of inestimable value. Most of the documents and books currently possessed by Bedacht cannot be duplicated and most are in their original form.

"This is being called to your attention in order to let you know that this material is available to you and that if you should need any of the documents therein they can be made available.

"Jack Brooks can give you more details.

"Gus Hall"

7. A partially coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"Central Committee

"In view of Jack Brooks temporary absence Morris Childs and I consider it essential that personal contact be maintained with you. Only Morris Childs should continue this contact with you. This must be so in view of the international problems particularly in view of the ideological differences between Chinese CP and CPSU. We are also now actively engaged in the election struggles and the civil rights battles are growing which makes it imperative that we do not break contact even for a brief period.

"Gus Hall"

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8. A partially coded message, which reads as follows:

"When you want to see and contact Morris Childs, put a piece of black tape by telephone ear piece (left side of telephone) - this telephone booth is on 49th Street corner of Madison, SW corner (gold painted booth), see the picture of corner - (a photograph of the booth in question was micro-filmed) - put the black tape on at 11:00 a.m., then the same day at 2:00 p.m. ring this telephone number three times - HA 5-9821 - no one will answer the telephone - it will only be a signal that means 'OK'. This will mean that ^{you &} Morris Childs will meet the next night at 7:00 p.m. This meeting will be for 'Berkman'."

9. A partially coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"Central Committee

"Personal contacts can be made at 7:00 p.m. in the same way with Morris Childs as they are with me, such as Berkman, Dann and Armstrong (to be followed in the same order). I will give you the photographs in person. Morris Childs will have a bandaid on his left index finger and a copy of 'Life' magazine in his right hand. You will only wear the bandaid. Morris Childs is 5'7", medium build and has blue eyes.

"Jack Brooks"

10. A partially coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"To make further certain that there will be contact with you - Morris Childs will meet at Berkman on

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"Thursday, May 7 (7:00 p.m.) and if not on that night then he will be at same place, same time on Thursday, May 14. - This is unless you make contact with him before that time."

(It should be noted that as referred to above, this arrangement was revised during the personal meeting between NY 694-S* and KOLOBASHKIN.)

REVIEW OF THE BOOK "JUDAISM WITHOUT VARNISH"

The Kiev newspaper "Radyanska kultura" ("Soviet culture") has published a review by B. Lobovik and K. Yampolsky of the book "Judaism without varnish" by T.K. Kichko, published in Kiev.

The book is one of several works on the modern problems of atheism published in the Ukraine lately.

The authors of the review write in part:

"The preachers of judaism and jewish bourgeois-nationalist historians and philosophers seek to represent judaism as the age-old religion of the jewish people which, despite isolated modifications, has allegedly remained unchanged in essence, is of great "cultural value", and has preserved all its meaning and importance to our time".

"Appearing in deep antiquity as a twisted, fantastic reflection of the reality, which depended on the elemental forces of nature, judaism, like all other religions, zealously served the ruling, exploiting classes. It enmeshed the masses of believers in a strong web, seeking to distract them from class struggle against jewish and non-jewish oppressors."

"As pointed out correctly by the author", the review continues, "the deep-going socio-economic changes which have occurred in the USSR, the history-making victories scored in the building of socialism and communism, the rapid development of science and technology, the unparalleled flourishing of culture have resulted in a mass abandonment of religion. Realizing the insolvency and harm of religion, the majority of the jewish population in our country... have broken for ever with religion, freed themselves of religious obscurantism, and are working conscientiously for the good of the motherland."

The working jews, together with the working people of other nationalities, worked with dedication at the construction projects of the five-year plans, fought against the nazi invaders, and are now making their contribution to the nation-wide cause of building communism. Tens of thousands of Soviet jews have received orders and medals. Forty of them have been awarded the title of hero of socialist labour, and 99 the title of hero of the Soviet Union.

In the USSR, the working jews enjoy all the rights guaranteed by the Constitution. Works by jewish classics and modern jewish writers are brought out in large printings. A jewish magazine "Sovietische Heimland" ("Soviet motherland"), is published: "All this is evidence of the triumph of the Leninist nationalities policy."

At the same time, the reviewers point to some considerable shortcomings of the book: "The author is mainly concerned to demonstrate the reactionary role of judaism in an exploiting society. He frequently quotes the Bible and the Talmud, sometimes without real need for this, and reproduces numerous statements by theologists instead of proving the insolvency of religion by facts from contemporary life. When it comes to demonstrating the harm caused by religion in our conditions, the author reduces everything to recounting the unworthy conduct of individual members of the jewish clergy, and to some rather general observations..."

"The book makes absolutely insufficient use of modern science to combat religious ideology. In several cases the author simply outlines the theological concepts on the relationship of religion and science without giving them a worthy appraisal, without criticising them, and restricts himself to declarative statements like the following one: "Of course, all this is nonsense."

The author of the book presents several problems in a wrong light, the review stresses. "One cannot agree to his claim that the ancient jews, being conquerors, did not produce anything outstanding either in industry, farming, or culture. This is denied by scientific data."

The book contains the erroneous statement that "after the emergence of zionism the spirit of nationalism gripped all the sections of the jewish population, This contradicts the historical facts, contradicts the Leninists thesis about two nations in every nation."

"It does not follow from the fact that a certain part of jewish artisans succumbed to the influence of the zionists that all the population was infected by the spirit of nationalism the author of the review states. Quite the opposite, the jewish proletariat, the more advance part of the intelligentsia contributed actively to the establishment and activities of social-democratic organizations, participated in the revolutionary movement and bravely exposed the bundovites (Bund -- petty bourgeois, nationalist party, which tried to isolate the jewish workers of Russia -- TASS), the zionists and other nationalists. Moreover, one of the reasons for the emergence of zionism was the struggle waged by the jewish bourgeoisie against socialist ideas, which at that time penetrated deeply into the midst of the working jews. Just as of the working people of other nationalities for that matter."

"Nor can one agree with that the author, in criticising zionism as a bourgeois nationalist movement, extends this criticism to the internal life of the State of Isreal. For it is known that in addition to zionist organizations, Isreal has democratic, progressive organizations of workers which come out for peace and peaceful coexistence, for democratic freedoms, against colonialism and imperialism."

"In general, it seems to us that it is inappropriate for a book devoted to the critique of a religious ideology to make appraisals (which are moreover not always correct) of the activities of Isreal as a State, of its role in international relations."

The book contains some slipshord formulations which sometimes lead to a distortion of individual propositions. "The author is mistaken in claiming that zionism is rooted in judaism. For it is known that jewish nationalism, as any other bourgeois nationalism, is rooted not in religious but in social causes. The author's thesis that in all capitalist States the rabbies, together with the zionists, serve the same aim of strengthening the State of Isreal is also inexact. First of all they serve to strengthen the existing system, the struggle against the revolutionary movement in their respective countries, to distract the jews from struggle for their class interests."

The authors of the review point out that the makeup of the book leaves much to be desired. Many drawings in the text are pretentious and are "of low artistic standard and can only insult the believers."

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

Date: 3/31/64

Transmit the following in _____
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Via AIRTEL REGISTERED MAIL
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

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ReCGtel call to New York 3/30/64.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are three copies and for the New York Office one copy of an informant's statement captioned, [REDACTED] Information Regarding Plans to Travel to Soviet Union."

The information contained in the enclosed informant's statement was orally furnished by CG 5824-S* on 3/30/64 to SA RICHARD W. HANSEN.

The information set forth in the enclosed informant's statement relative to the travel plans and visa for [REDACTED] was furnished to New York by retel call for transmittal to NY 694-S*. NY 694-S*, according to CG 5824-S*, was previously aware of this matter and was to orally discuss the visa question and its preparation and availability during the course of his next contact with his Soviet principal on 3/31/64. In discussing this matter, NY 694-S* was to inform his Soviet principal that they should not repeat the errors and mistakes they had committed on a similar matter and visit a few years ago by GIL GREEN's [REDACTED]

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1-New York (100-134637) (Enc. 1) (Info) (RM)
1-Chicago

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Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

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[REDACTED] INFORMATION REGARDING PLANS
TO TRAVEL TO SOVIET UNION

GIL GREEN, a leading functionary of the Communist Party (CP) of Illinois, on March 28, 1964, noted that during his recent trip to New York City he had spoken to GUS HALL, General Secretary of the CP, USA, regarding the desire of [REDACTED] to travel to the Soviet Union. He informed HALL at the time that he would like to see [REDACTED] go to the Soviet Union but that he wanted no financial assistance from either the CP, USA or the CP of the Soviet Union (CPSU) in connection with this travel. He had inquired of HALL as to whether the Party could arrange to have a visa ready for [REDACTED] so that [REDACTED] could get to the Soviet Union around May Day, 1964. GREEN informed HALL that if HALL could assist him on this visa matter, he would have [REDACTED] pick up the visa at the Soviet Embassy in London, England.

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GREEN further noted that HALL stated he had no objection to [REDACTED] going abroad or visiting the Soviet Union and had said that he felt that the Party could be of assistance in arranging the visa. He instructed GREEN to contact MORRIS CHILDS in Chicago and to furnish him with the dates and other necessary information so that it could be transmitted to the Soviets together with a request that a visa be available in London for [REDACTED] prior to May 1, 1964.

As a result, GREEN was in contact with MORRIS CHILDS on March 28, 1964, and advised him of the above. GREEN stated that [REDACTED] has made plans to leave New York City by ship on April 23, 1964, and is scheduled to arrive in London on or about April 28, 1964. [REDACTED] will be traveling with U.S. Passport [REDACTED]

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GREEN went on to state that he expected that while [REDACTED] was in London waiting for his visa, that he undoubtedly would be in contact with [REDACTED] and that he would also be in contact with JOHN WILLIAMSON, a member of the CP of Great Britain.

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Date: 4/2/64

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(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)
 SUBJECT: SOLO
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On 4/1/64, there was received at a mail drop in New York City a note from LESLIE MORRIS, National Secretary of the Canadian Communist Party, enclosing a letter, addressed to GUS HALL, from BEATRICE JOHNSON, CPUSA representative in Cuba. In MORRIS' note, he referred to the fact that the Canadian CP Convention is now in session and that a representative from Chicago (CLAUDE LIGHTFOOT) was in attendance at the said convention.

The letter from BEATRICE JOHNSON to GUS HALL is as follows:

"March 3, 1964

"Greetings:

"Your message got here today and I was delighted to be asked some questions. I know it's not easy to hear, but there absolutely must be a regular back and forth or else a vacuum is created. I am also happy to see that my problem is understood.

3 - BUREAU (100-428091) (RM)
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"As far as the paper is concerned there is not much to say, since we have a regular way of sending and receiving things, and altho they don't indicate good, bad or indifferent, at least stuff gets in. By the way I have requests from other publications to send them stuff, so I have an indication that people are interested in what I have to say. I recommended a number of times, a questionnaire, 'What people want to know about C...', to give me a better contact with the readers. It would be good to have an answer to this.

"I got word about the 500, thanks a lot. I have written to send me 200 to pay some debts and keep the rest for my girl, who must come this summer - Moishe and Win know about this and I hope they are arranging for it. She will be able to buy some things for me I can't get here and will need badly by then, and have some money to move around on. In the meantime, I have made arrangements for a regular income, it's not enough for the two of us, but we make it stretch. The only handicap is that I need to run about a lot and taxis are expensive. If I can get something every month in addition I could make it do and lift the burden from you. Perhaps Moishe can see if I can get a Scoda, it's the only car that can be serviced here and it would make my work and life easier.

"Now, the most important, relations with our big family. This simply does not exist, even for the closest relatives. There is no conception or regular setup. I have tried to get around this by sending memos, proposals and offering materials for information. I edit a bulletin making resume of events, opinions and trends, as well as important statements of policy. They have all been well received and some of the items have found their way into the press. However since the big fellow came back there is a noticeable change in that direction and I am hoping in good time things will be organized. I have spoken to Rod and he sees the need and the problem and is thankful for my efforts, but as yet I am waiting for the initial discussion of any proposals. My experiences in other places did not prepare me for this, but I am learning fast to have patience. The proposal for F. to issue a statement or open letter to the A. people is most important at

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"this time and I am trying everything to get it to his attention. All think it's a great idea and I am sure it will be done. I shall wire the paper, the moment I have something on that.

"There are many things I would like to talk about and would be most thankful if my cousin could come to see me. My cousin should come here as soon as possible. May first there will be many visitors, altho travel conditions are bad for all.

"With regard to relations with other L.A. people. Have had many opportunities to do so, but to get to other places has been hard, altho not impossible. For example youth meeting, Chilean elections could be covered if a special request comes here from you. I cannot arrange such things in general, it must be specifically called for. The individuals one meets here have come to remain and cannot help much with permanent contacts. Trips would be desirable. Have been sending the paper some things from other places.

"There is much going on on all fronts here. It is dynamic and enthusiastic. Socialist forms of labor have taken like a duck to water. The election of vanguard workers is something new and interesting. I am doing a study of this and will send something in soon. The harvest is good in spite of the floods, industrialization is slow, many problems to solve and many handicaps of the past to overcome, but the technical revolution has begun in the sugar industry and that is basic. The food situation is good and getting better all the time. Social services and transportation have improved tremendously even in the short time I have been here. The emphasis is on work, work discipline, production and education. With regard to us: They are worried about attitude Administration and openly feel there is not enough doing in their behalf.

"When I came here six months ago, the big debate was raging. The neutrality attitude was over weighted with either an attempt balance everything or more attention to the antagonists side. There was great sympathy for them far and wide, so much so that

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"some people kept their ideas to themselves. And the Ch's worked harm, distributed tons of stuff, worked on everybody. There was a marked antagonism to us.

"Now I am happy to state, since the big fellow returned, there is a decided change. The Ch's are very quiet, at least openly, they are not in evidence in all the prominent places as was the case and their stuff is scarcer. The change began when the big fellow analyzed the 'sad and grave event' with such unusual brilliance and understanding, that many people began to ask what we stood for and how we see the situation. I gave them your statement of 1961, which they did not seem to be aware of here. They have had every statement since, altho I get it late, it shows our position and the trend in the country. It is very helpful.

"I hope the above will inform you of some things that you want to know. I am not in a position to say many other things, but as I said before it must wait. Let me take this occasion to congratulate you and tell you how proud I am of your role in pushing our P into the direction of mass action to meet the wonderful period in which so much can be done. I am happy to be as close to the change as I can. I found a few good people here I used to know who are of great help to me and they all send their best regards and wishes to you and the rest of the comrades.

"All my best. Please write if there is anything special you want, Les can always reach me.

"Much affection,
B."

In Par. 2, "C", according to NY 694-S*, refers to FIDEL CASTRO.

In Par. 3, "500" refers to \$500.00 which was being sent to BEATRICE JOHNSON from the CPUSA through the Canadian CP. "200" in the same paragraph refers to \$200.00 which BEATRICE JOHNSON apparently is requesting for the use of her daughter, who was referred to in the same paragraph as "girl."

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"Moishe" in Par. 3 and "Win" in the same paragraph refer, respectively, to MORRIS CHILDS and HENRY WINSTON.

"Big fellow" mentioned in Par. 4 is a reference to FIDEL CASTRO. "Rod" in the same paragraph, according to NY 694-S*, apparently is a reference to RODRIGUEZ, Cuban CP functionary. "F" in the same paragraph is a reference to FIDEL CASTRO. "A" in the same paragraph signifies "American," according to NY 694-S*.

"Cousin" in Par. 5 is a reference to a representative of the CPUSA, probably NY 694-S*.

In Par. 6, "L.A." is a reference to "Latin American people."

"Ch's" in Par. 8 is a reference to the Chinese, according to NY 694-S*.

"P" in Par. 10 is a reference to the CPUSA, according to NY 694-S*.

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Date: 4/2/64

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

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On 4/1/64 CG 5824-S* advised that GUS HALL, General Secretary, CP, USA, had previously instructed him to make inquiries of the CPSU and the CPCZ regarding their willingness to invite and/or accept OTTO WANGERIN of Chicago to their country in order that he could receive medical treatment and therapy. In furtherance of HALL's instructions, CG 5824-S* suggested that NY 694-S* consider the preparation of and transmit to the Soviets a message during his next contact with his principal in NYC. CG 5824-S* noted that this matter had been generally discussed with NY 694-S* previously and he is familiar with some of the detail involved.

CG 5824-S* suggested that the messages as transmitted by NY 694-S* contain in essence the following:

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Central Committee
Communist Party of the Soviet Union

Dear Comrades:

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Comrade Otto Wangerin recently suffered an illness and while not completely incapacitated, his right side is paralyzed and he needs some therapy. We would like to inquire whether you might like to invite him to come for therapy and treatment.

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1-New York (100-134637) (Info) (RM)

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Comrade Wangerin, 72 years of age, is a charter member of our Party and was a close friend of William Z. Foster.

He was a railroad man by profession until he became a functionary and up until his illness was in charge of the book store and literature in Chicago. His wife, who is of Slav origin and speaks a little Czech, would accompany him if he should travel.

A similar request is being directed to our Czech comrades.

With warm fraternal greetings,

National Committee
CP, USA

2.

Central Committee
Communist Party of Czechoslovakia

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National Committee
CP, USA

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Memorandum *NOTE IN ENVELOPE*

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Belmont ☒
Mohr ☒
Casper ☒
Callahan ☒
Conrad ☒
DeLoach ☒
Evans ☒
Gale ☒
Rosen ☒
Sullivan ☒
Tavel ☒
Trotter ☒
Tele. Room ☒
Holmes ☒
Gandy ☒

TO : Mr. Conrad
FROM : C. F. Downing

DATE: March 30, 1964

SUBJECT: SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

On 3/27/64 at approximately 5:25 P.M.,
Supervisor [redacted] New York Office,
telephonically furnished the text of a message the
informant desired to send and requested it be enciphered.
At approximately 9:05 A.M., 3/30/64, Supervisor [redacted]
was telephonically furnished with the cipher text.

The plain text is set forth below. The cipher
text is attached.

REFEREE (Central Committee) (space) PLEASE HAVE BRIEFCASES
(Floating Visa) FOR BEACH (Czechoslovakia) FOR SPRING (Jack
Brooks) AND MRS. SPRING (Jack Brooks), WHOSE SURNAME ON
PASSPORT WILL BE CITRON (repeat) CITRON. THESE WILL BE
PICKED UP IN BEACH (Czechoslovakia) CASHIER (Embassy)
FAIR (Washington) AND OR BEACH (Czechoslovakia) CASHIER
(Embassy) DELTA (Zurich). SPRING (Jack Brooks).

ACTION:

For information.

Enclosure

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan *S*

DATE: April 1, 1964

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner *7/8/64*SUBJECT: SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - COMMUNIST

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Baumgardner
1 - Mr. Wannall
1 - Mr. Shaw

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Belmont ☒
Mohr ☒
Casper ☒
Callahan ☒
Conrad ☒
DeLoach ☒
Evans ☒
Gale ☒
Rosen ☒
Sullivan ☒
Tavel ☒
Trotter ☒
Tele. Room ☒
Holmes ☒
Gandy ☒

This is to advise of the latest developments concerning the contemplated trip by NY 694-S* to Russia and Cuba.

You will recall that as a result of a conference between Assistant Director Sullivan and NY 694-S* on 3-23-64, a plan of action was devised to have NY 694-S* penetrate Cuba. In connection with this matter, it was decided that NY 694-S* approach Gus Hall, General Secretary, Communist Party, USA (CPUSA), and advise Hall that informant was contemplating going to Moscow in April, 1964, and suggesting that Hall give informant a letter to Cuban Premier Castro pointing out the need to improve relations between the Castro regime and the CPUSA. NY 694-S* would then take this letter with him to Moscow where he would develop this matter with the Soviets to the point where the Soviets will endorse his trip to Cuba and provide him transportation there.

On 3-27-64, NY 694-S* furnished the following information concerning his discussion with Hall relative to this matter.

Hall was very pleased that NY 694-S* was contemplating a trip to Moscow and indicated that this would give informant an opportunity to learn the most recent developments with respect to the Sino-Soviet dispute.

NY 694-S* then raised the question of visiting Cuba upon leaving Moscow. Hall stated that in view of the current situation in Cuba, he would be most interested in having informant go to Cuba. Hall expressed the opinion that a purge may be taking place in Cuba at the present time with "Castro in the middle between the oldtimers and the new people." Hall indicated he would be especially interested in receiving a correct evaluation of the Cuban situation at this time. Hall stated that he would give informant a letter to Castro suggesting that steps be taken to improve relations between the Castro regime and the CPUSA. Hall agreed that NY 694-S* while in Moscow should also obtain a letter to Castro from the Soviets requesting that every consideration be shown to NY 694-S* while in Cuba.

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Memorandum to Mr. W. C. Sullivan
RE: SOLO
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Following his discussion with Hall, NY 694-S* advised the New York Office that he would arrange to be flown from Moscow to Cuba in a Soviet plane. While in Cuba he would be a guest of the Soviets and would stay at a Soviet establishment. NY 694-S* indicated that by utilizing this arrangement, he would be going to Cuba as a very important person and would be treated as such by the Cubans, particularly by Castro. Informant advised he would return to Moscow from Cuba before ultimately returning to the United States.

According to informant's present plan, depending upon his wife's physical condition, he will leave with his wife for Moscow as soon as possible after April 6, 1964. As regards his wife, informant stated he would not take her to Cuba but would arrange that she return to the United States at the time when he would leave Moscow for Cuba.

ACTION:

For information. You will be kept advised of all pertinent developments in this matter.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

SUBJECT: SOLO
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DATE: 3/13/64

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Belmont	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Evans	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

ReCGairtel dated December 19, 1963.

Since the submission of reCGairtel, CG 5824-S* *Baumgardner* has advised that he continues to receive from the Communist Party of China (CPC) certain English language publications issued by the Foreign Language Press, Peking, mailed to him from London, England, and in care of the following Chicago drop address:

JOHN SCHOLDERS
in care of Modern Book Store
56 East Chicago Avenue
Chicago 11, Illinois
U.S.A.

The most recent items that CG 5824-S* has received through this drop address are the following:

38-page pamphlet entitled "TWO DIFFERENT LINES ON THE QUESTION OF WAR AND PEACE"
Comment on the Open Letter of the Central Committee of the CPSU (V)," by the Editorial Departments of "Renmin Ribao" ("People's Daily") and "Hongqi" ("Red Flag"), November 19, 1963.

48-page pamphlet entitled "PEACEFUL COEXISTENCE--TWO DIAMETRICALLY OPPOSED POLICIES" Comment on the Open Letter of the Central Committee of the CPSU (VI)," by the Editorial Departments of "Renmin Ribao" and "Hongqi," December 12, 1963.

208-page book entitled "People of the World, Unite, for the Complete, Thorough, Total and Resolute Prohibition and Destruction of Nuclear Weapons!" printed in 1963.

2-Bureau (Enc. 3) (RM)
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CG 5824-S* has made the above items available to the Chicago Office on a temporary basis since he has no copies thereof, and they are being enclosed herewith for the Bureau's review. Since these items are rather lengthy in nature and since it is not known by Chicago if any or all of these items may have been previously available to the Bureau, no copies have been made. However, should the Bureau find upon review that these items had not previously been available to it, it is the suggestion of the Chicago Office that the Bureau may desire to prepare copies of these items and thereafter return the originals to Chicago. In any case, it is requested that the originals be returned to Chicago when they are of no additional use to the Bureau in order that they may be turned over to the source.

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Date: 4/2/64

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
(ATT: ASST. DIRECTOR W. C. SULLIVAN)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)

SUBJECT: SOLO
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ReNYairtel to Bureau, 4/1/64.

In referenced NY airtel it was indicated that NY 694-S* prepared a new code for utilization with his Soviet contacts in captioned matter. For the information of the Bureau and Chicago Office, a copy of this new open code containing some new terms, deleting some others, and using present day phraseology is being forwarded as an enclosure. This code is in the form of a 5" X 7" photographic copy labeled "Open Code - Completed" containing pages A, B and C.

There is also being enclosed for the Bureau and the Chicago Office a photographic 8" X 10" copy of the "Freed Code", which NY 694-S* utilizes in his communications to and from FREED. NY 694-S* advised that this "Freed Code" will be utilized by him when he communicates with CG 5824-S* while he (NY 694-S*) is in Moscow. An additional copy of this "Freed Code", 4" X 5", is being enclosed for the Chicago Office for use of CG 5824-S*.

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For the information of the Bureau and Chicago, the "Freed Code" was devised by NY 694-S* and NORMAN FREED, CP of Canada representative to the "World Marxist Review", official theoretical organ of the international communist movement, Prague, Czechoslovakia, for utilization by them in their communications to and from FREED.

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AUSTRALIA	FRISCO	PARTY	STREET
BEATRICE	PARROT	PASSPORT	FLUTE
BILL KASHTAN	YONGE	PEARL WEDRO	CUPID
BULGARIA	AKRON	PLENUM	BUFFET
BURMA	UTAH	PRESIDENT JOHNSON	FRANK
CANADA	LAKES	REPORT or SPEECH	SONG or SANG
CENTRAL COMMITTEE	CAST	REPUBLICAN	DANCER
CEYLON	SAN DIEGO	ROUMANIA	TOLEDO
CHAEK	PROFESSOR	ROUMYANTSEV	TOPPER
CHINA	HAMILTON	SPLIT	SALE
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ELECTION	SHOW	WINNIE	MR. NICE
FIDEL CASTRO	PEACH	WORLD MARXIST REVIEW	VILLA
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GHANA	TUDOR		
GUS HALL	WALLEYE		
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INDIA	NEVADA		
INDONESIAN	KEY WEST		
ITALIAN	PALM BEACH		
JACK	PERCH		
JAPAN	BUTTE		
KHRUSHCHEV	CANARY		
KOCMAN (C.Z.)	SPRINTER		
LESLIE MORRIS	STRATFORD		
LITERATURE	FRUIT		
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MAO-Tse Tung	SPARROW		
MOLLY PERLMAN	AUNT BOOKER		
MORRIS	MR. GOOD		
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BLUM, MANNY	SAND	POTASH, IRVING	ELM
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CASTRO, FIDEL	TUFT	ROBIN, DANNY	IMP
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CHILDS, MORRIS	HUB	SANFORD, T.	STEER
DAVIS, BEN	SPRUCE	SMITH, JESSICA	CARP
DAVIS, SAM	PERCH	STACHEL, JACK	BUD
DENNIS, GENE Jr.	PONY	THOMPSON, ROBERT	WHEAT
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FLYNN, ELIZABETH GURLEY	GRASS	TORNEY, JIM	CAB
FOSTER, WILLIAM Z.	ROOT	TRACHTENBERG, ALEX	PAGE
GANNETT, BETTY	CABBY	WEINSTONE, WILL	TWIG
GREEN, GIL	BOOK	WEST, JIM	CASE
GREEN, JAKE	HORN	WINSTON, HENRY	LAST
HALL, GUS	BIRCH	WINTERS, CARL	BULB
HARRIS, LEN	HOOT	WINTERS, HELEN	TULIP
HEALEY, DOROTHY	ORCHID	WOPSY, ISADORE	PILL
JACKSON, JAMES	MAPLE	BRUSSELS	PIER
JOHNSON, ARNOLD	RYE	COPENHAGEN	TURF
JOHNSON, BEATRICE	PAY	HELSINKI	BEEP
JOHNSON, LYNDON	LEO	LENINGRAD	SURF
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KLING, JACK	POTT	PARIS	HAMLET
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LIGHTFOOT, CLAUDE	BARLEY	WARSAW	POOL
LIME, NICKY	PINE	WASHINGTON	PAIR
LUNER, BY	ASH	ZURICH	DELTA
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UNITED NATIONS	SWAN	BOOKSTORE	STABLE
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BRAZIL	PALE	CONFERENCE/MEETING	KEN
BRITISH GUIANA	AGAX	CONVENTION	BARD
CHILE	COY	COORDINATION	STRING
COLOMBIA	QAY	CP MEMBER	BIRD
CUBA	BAY	DEFENSE	LOW
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PERU	HATT	DESTINATION	TAG
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1 - Liaison
1 - Mr. Wannall
1 - Mr. Shaw

(IS) 100-428091

Date: April 7, 1964

To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: FOREIGN POLITICAL MATTERS - INDONESIA
INTERNAL SECURITY - INDONESIA

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The following information was supplied by sources which have furnished reliable information in the past. *fu*

During January, 1964, representatives from the Communist Parties of Canada and Bulgaria visited Indonesia as guests of the Communist Party (CP) of Indonesia and were provided with an extended tour of Indonesia. While in Indonesia, these CP representatives conferred with Dipa N. Aidit, General Secretary, CP of Indonesia, and a member without portfolio of the cabinet of President Sukarno. *fu*

Aidit advised these CP representatives that in early January, 1964, President Sukarno told him that just prior thereto he had seen United States Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy and was still in the process of continuing discussions with this individual. Aidit stated that President Sukarno indicated he had promised Attorney General Kennedy that there would be no confrontation of forces of Indonesia and Malaysia at that time. Sukarno explained that he made this promise because Indonesia was not then in a position "to do it right now." According to Aidit, Sukarno

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further explained that "by avoiding a fight with the Americans at that time, they had also avoided enabling the Americans to save the British in that area." Aidit described Sukarno as representing the "left section of the bourgeoisie." ~~JS~~

On the topic of nationalization of industry, Aidit commented that there is a complete take over by the government of private ownership. He noted, however, that there is also a form of nationalization known as "Indonesianization" which involves the replacement of foreign technicians and workers by Indonesian technicians and workers. Under this form of nationalization, the Indonesian technicians and workers are given the power to operate plants and the state does not take over the physical ownership of the property. ~~JS~~

In regard to the number of persons of Chinese ancestry residing in Indonesia, Aidit remarked that they number approximately four million. One half of these, he noted, desired and have asked to be allowed to return to the Peoples Republic of China. The other half of these Chinese constitute the upper-class and well-to-do Chinese, at least by Indonesian standards, and they desire to remain. When those who have indicated a desire to return to the Peoples Republic of China finally return, the Peoples Republic of China will take possession of their property in Indonesia, liquidate it, and turn over a portion of the proceeds to the CP of Indonesia. In this manner, the CP of China can give the CP of Indonesia subsidies and aid without a direct allocation or transfer of funds from the Peoples Republic of China. In addition, Aidit

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remarked that many of the Chinese who are remaining in Indonesia make substantial contributions to the Peoples Republic of China, and some of these funds are also given in part to the CP of Indonesia as financial subsidies. ~~X~~

In regard to the CP of Indonesia, Aidit noted that it has 55 per cent of the Armed Forces and 85 per cent of the personnel of the Air Force in its hands. He indicated that the CP of Indonesia has three-and-one-half million members. He believed that in any election, it could draw 50 per cent of the total vote. Aidit, however, pointed out that the CP of Indonesia was not interested at this point in urging that any elections be held. ~~X~~

Aidit remarked that throughout Indonesia, the CP has established an extensive network of schools. These schools range from those teaching basic courses in reading and writing to regularly scheduled Party educational classes. He indicated that it is the belief of the CP of Indonesia that it must educate the people in order that they can be taught to read and understand Party material. ~~X~~

In discussing socialism, Aidit remarked that the only two countries in the world today building socialism are the Peoples Republic of China and North Korea. The Soviet Union, in Aidit's opinion, is not building socialism, but is only building capitalism and will someday fully revert back to capitalism. Aidit gave the following examples for his reasoning. ~~X~~

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When he was in Moscow recently, he needed a shirt and had to pay 35 rubles for it. Later when in New York City and needing a similar shirt, he purchased it for \$3.50. The shirt he purchased in New York City was of a better quality. The Russians wanted to make more profit than the United States capitalists did on this same item. When in Sochi, Russia, Aidit found individual Russians who had apartments and were renting out rooms. He described this as capitalism. In addition, he noted that the peasants in Russia have private plots of land from which they can sell their products. This he described as another example of capitalism. He also noted that in the Soviet Union the trials and convictions of embezzlers prove that there is capitalism in the Soviet Union. ~~(S)~~

Aidit expressed his conception of the three types of communist parties in the world today. First he stated there are the Communist Parties of China, Albania, North Korea and Indonesia, which are definitely Marxist-Leninist communist parties. Secondly, there are the communist parties with Marxist-Leninist memberships, but with revisionist leaderships. Finally there are those communist parties whose leaderships as well as memberships are all revisionist. According to Aidit, into this latter category falls the CP of the Soviet Union. ~~(S)~~

Aidit advanced the theory that communism cannot be built in the world today as long as imperialism continues to exist anywhere. To attempt to build communism under such conditions, he noted, it must necessarily be done at the expense of the more backward nations. He believed that those countries which try to build communism, with the ~~(S)~~

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existence of imperialism in the world, will become "rich, fat cats" at the expense of the backward countries and will lose their revolutionary spirit. Aidit stated he agreed with the theory of the CP of China that it is best not to build up a country's abundance while surrounded by imperialism because "you will lose that revolutionary spirit." He noted that if communism could be built with imperialism still existing, it would require an accumulation of capital. Even if this could be done, he remarked, it should not because this accumulation should be given to the building of the more backward nations. In Aidit's opinion, you have only to look at the Soviet Union where there has been built a higher standard of living and you will find that the Soviets have lost their revolutionary fervor. ~~(S)~~

As to the personal observations of the representatives from the Communist Parties of Canada and Bulgaria during their tour of Indonesia, they indicated there was much that they saw which was shocking. For example, they noted, when you walked into villages, you saw people starving. A person thirty years of age is considered old. In some villages, half of the population is blind and suffering from glaucoma. ~~(S)~~

Because of the sensitive nature of our sources, we have classified this communication "~~Top Secret~~." (u)

1 - Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Attention: Deputy Director, Plans

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Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Evans
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Baumgardner
- 1 - Liaison
- 1 - Mr. Shaw

April 7, 1964

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INDONESIA

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Meeting Between President Sukarno and
United States Attorney General
Robert F. Kennedy (X)(S)

According to Aidit, in early January, 1964, President Sukarno told him that just prior thereto he had seen United States Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy and was still in the process of continuing discussions with this individual. Aidit stated that President Sukarno indicated he had promised Attorney General Kennedy that there would be no confrontation of forces of Indonesia and Malaysia at that time. Sukarno explained that he made this promise because Indonesia was not then in a position "to do it right now," and that "by avoiding a fight with the Americans at that time, they had also avoided enabling the Americans to save the British in that area." Aidit described Sukarno as representing the "left section of the bourgeoisie." (X)(S)

Communist Party of Indonesia (X)(S)

Aidit indicated that the Communist Party of Indonesia has 3½ million members and he believed that in any election it could draw 50 per cent of the total vote. (X)(S)

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Aidit, however, pointed out that the Indonesian Communist Party is not interested at this point in urging that any elections be held. Aidit remarked that throughout Indonesia the Communist Party has established an extensive network of schools. These schools range from those teaching basic courses in reading and writing to regularly scheduled Party educational classes. He indicated that it is the belief of the Communist Party of Indonesia that it must educate the people in order that they can be taught to read and understand Party material. ~~(X)(S)~~

Comments Concerning the Soviet Union ~~(X)(S)~~

Aidit remarked that the only two countries in the world today building socialism are the Peoples Republic of China and North Korea. The Soviet Union, in Aidit's opinion, is not building socialism but is only building capitalism and will someday "fully revert back to capitalism." Aidit gave the following examples for his reasoning. ~~(X)(S)~~

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Aidit advanced the theory that communism cannot be built in the world today as long as imperialism continues to exist anywhere. He believed that those countries which try to build communism, with the existence of imperialism in the world, will become "rich, fat cats" at the expense of the backward countries and will lose their revolutionary spirit. Aidit noted that if communism could be built with imperialism still existing it would require an accumulation ~~(X)(S)~~

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Chinese Influence in Indonesia ~~(X/S)~~

Aidit remarked that there were approximately 4 million persons of Chinese ancestry residing in Indonesia. One half of these, he noted, desired and have asked to be allowed to return to the Peoples Republic of China. When those who have indicated a desire to return to the Peoples Republic of China finally return, the Peoples Republic of China will take possession of their property in Indonesia, liquidate it and turn over a portion of the proceeds to the Communist Party of Indonesia as financial subsidies. In addition, Aidit stated that many of the Chinese who are remaining in Indonesia make substantial contributions to the Peoples Republic of China and some of these funds are also given in part to the Communist Party of Indonesia as financial subsidies. ~~(X/S)~~

Tour of Indonesia ~~(X/S)~~

As to the personal observations of the representatives from the Communist Parties of Canada and Bulgaria during their tour of Indonesia, they indicated there was much that they saw which was shocking. For example, they noted that when you walked into villages you saw people starving. A person thirty years of age is considered old. In some villages, half of the population is blind and suffering from glaucoma. ~~(X/S)~~

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad *JWC*

DATE: 3/30/64

FROM : W. D. Griffith *W.D.G.*SUBJECT: SOLO

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By airtel 3/26/64 New York has submitted twenty-five blank copies of New York State Motor Vehicle Department operators licenses and has requested that the Laboratory duplicate an operator's license in the name of Rosalyn Pearl Citron. Two valid New York State driver's licenses of two New York Special Agents were also submitted for our assistance.

ASAC Don Roney called to advise that certain of the IBM printed numbers on these driver's licenses are in code form and the code key must be taken into account in the preparation of the requested license.

He said the 13th, 14th and 15th digits at the top of the card are obtained by multiplying the month from the date of birth by 63. The day of the month should then be multiplied by two and the product added to the above calculation. If the person in whose name the license is being made is a female 1 should be added to the total. In this instance the date of birth is 7/2/15. 7 is multiplied by 63 and the answer is 441. The date of the month is 2 which is multiplied by 2, the answer being 4 and when added to 441 the product is 445. Since the subject is female 1 is added so that the 13th, 14th and 15th digits are 446.

The first five digits of the number are coded to spell the name of the individual; however, ASAC Roney was not able to explain precisely how this code worked but instead requested that the first five digits to be used be C-09746. He stated that the over-all number then will be C-09746, five digits, two digits, 446 and then one digit or using x's for the numbers that do not matter the number should appear C-09746 xxxxx xx446x.

He suggested that the expiration date on the license be 12/31/66. ASAC Roney stated that the validating stamp appearing at the bottom of the license is not in code and any numbers we desire may be used. He did suggest that the date included in the validating stamp be approximately the same date as that appearing on the enclosed driver's license of SA Neil P. Divers.

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Sullivan

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Memorandum to Mr. Conrad
Re: SOLO

He stated that if we were unable to match the printing on these driver's licenses absolutely that a certain amount of minor variation would not matter. I told him that we would see what we could do and if there was any problem in this regard we would discuss the matter telephonically with him. He requested that the completed driver's license be made available by Wednesday if at all possible but certainly not later than Thursday, 4/2/64.

RECOMMENDATION: None. For information.

Completed and
sent to NY via
airtel 3/31/64
/s/

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

April 7, 1964

BY LIAISON

Honorable Dean Rusk
The Secretary of State
Washington, D. C.

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Baumgardner
1 - Liaison
1 - Mr. Shaw

Dear Mr. Rusk:

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Honorable Dean Rusk

Because of the sensitive nature of our sources, we have classified this communication and its enclosure ~~"Top Secret."~~ This information is being furnished to other interested officials of the Government.

Sincerely yours,

Enclosure

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

April 7, 1964

BY LIAISON

Honorable Walter W. Jenkins
Special Assistant to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Baumgardner
1 - Mr. Shaw

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Honorable Walter W. Jenkins

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Sincerely yours,

Enclosure (u)

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

1 - Mr. Shaw
April 8, 1964

AIRTEL

To: SAC, New York (100-134637)

From: Director, FBI (100-428091)

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INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Reurairtel 3-27-64 disclosing that NY 694-S* plans to depart on a Solo mission as soon as possible after 4-6-64 and hopes to be able to visit Cuba.

The Bureau has recently received two unsubstantiated reports originating from inside Cuba that the Cuban Government plans some sort of attack on the United States. One report quotes Fidel Castro as having said that long-range missiles have been brought into Cuba piecemeal without arousing any suspicion and that Soviet technicians are assembling these missiles at an underground Cuban laboratory. The second report indicates the possibility of a Cuban attack on Guantanamo Naval Base and Florida in the immediate future.

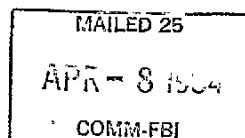
You should alert NY 694-S* to the above reports and request informant to be on the look-out for information of this type. Under no circumstances should the informant make any written notes of this objective nor should he ask any direct questions which might place him under suspicion. It should be impressed upon NY 694-S* that the Bureau considers his security of paramount importance.

NOTE:

The information indicating that the Cuban Government plans some sort of an attack on the United States was furnished by Central Intelligence Agency, and was extracted from memorandum Mr. W. R. Wannall to Mr. W. C. Sullivan, dated 4-2-64, entitled "Military-Naval Matters - Cuba."

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

Date: 4/3/64

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)

Via AIRTEL

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
 FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)
 SUBJECT: SOLO
 IS - C

Re NY airtels, 3/30/64, page 4, and 4/1/64,
 page 8, both captioned "FEDORA; IS - R."

On 3/27/64, NY 3653-S* was interviewed by ASAC
 JOSEPH L. SCHMIT and SAS HARRY E. MORRIS, JR. and VINCENT
 J. CAHILL.

During the course of this interview, the informant
 furnished information as set out in referenced airtels above
 which is being amplified herewith in view of Bureau's
 interest in this matter.

Informant stated on a day prior to the date of
 interview, ANATOLI SHUVALOV was in the corridor outside the
 KGB quarters in the Soviet Mission with ALEKSEY KOLOBASHKIN.
 Both of them were smoking cigarettes and were engaged in
 conversation. SHUVALOV is one of the two representatives
 in the NY Residency of the Illegal Department of the KGB in
 Moscow. KOLOBASHKIN is an employee of the Security (Counter-
 intelligence) Branch of the KGB, NY Residency.

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Approved: *JTm/ET*

Special Agent in Charge

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W. J. (check)

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During this conversation, according to the informant, SHUVALOV related to KOLOBASHKIN details concerning the recent arrival in the NY Residency of three portable radio transmitters and receivers which had just been sent to him and to HERMAN LEVAKOV by Headquarters for ultimate dispatch to illegal agents of KGB.

At the conclusion of this conversation, KOLOBASHKIN entered the office of Colonel BORIS IVANOV, head of the KGB Residency in NY, and told IVANOV what had just been related to him by SHUVALOV concerning these radio sets. KOLOBASHKIN said he was reporting this matter to IVANOV in view of the recent instructions received from KGB Headquarters in Moscow directing that stricter security measures be employed in each residency, and specifically directing KGB personnel not to talk "business" at any time, even with their co-workers.

Informant said that Colonel IVANOV commended KOLOBASHKIN for his action and subsequently censured SHUVALOV for his indiscretion. On the same day, IVANOV wrote a memorandum setting forth the facts of this incident and instructed each of his three deputies to call in employees under their jurisdiction respectively and read this memorandum to them singly. Informant said that this memorandum was read to him by SERGEI GABELKO, Chief of the Scientific and Technical Branch, after which informant signed his name on the bottom of the memorandum, indicating that he had been advised of its contents. Informant said that in this memorandum, Colonel IVANOV remarked that if SHUVALOV was indiscreet on one more occasion, he would be sent home to Moscow immediately.

IVANOV also stated in this memorandum that he was issuing the same final warning to everyone in the NY Residency to comply with the new security measures and to be particularly careful not to violate the one relating to discussion of KGB matters, even with other employees.

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Informant said he did not know why KOLOBASHKIN decided to bring this matter to IVANOV's attention. He said KOLOBASHKIN has ingratiated himself with Colonel IVANOV, but has not increased his popularity among his co-workers in the KGB. Informant commented that he personally was upset by KOLOBASHKIN's action and did not like to see things of this kind take place. He said it was his personal feeling that KOLOBASHKIN should not have reported the matter and said that he now had a low regard for KOLOBASHKIN and also disliked him intensely.

It was this line of discussion which prompted the informant to suggest that perhaps KOLOBASHKIN could be arrested by the FBI. Informant commented that he would personally like to see this take place since he felt it would be just retaliation for what KOLOBASHKIN had done as regards SHUVALOV.

Informant then called attention to the fact that he has in the past advised interviewing agents of several meetings which ALEKSEY KOLOBASHKIN has had with an unidentified representative of the CP, USA. Informant said that he is aware that KOLOBASHKIN met with this CP representative specifically for the purpose of transferring large sums of money from the CP, USSR to the CP, USA. Informant said that he recalled that on one occasion having advised the interviewing agents of a telephone number where KOLOBASHKIN could be reached by Soviet Mission personnel shortly before a scheduled meeting with a representative of the CP, USA. Informant said it was his opinion that if KOLOBASHKIN and a representative of the CP, USA were arrested at a meeting in which a large sum of money was being turned over by KOLOBASHKIN, a tremendous blow would be dealt to the KGB. Informant remarked that this was a matter strictly within the province of the FBI. Informant said that he did not presume to advise the FBI on how to run its intelligence operations and said that there perhaps were good reasons that this could not be done now.

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Informant pointed out that an arrest of this type would receive a great deal of publicity, all of which would be detrimental to the Soviet Union and to its intelligence arm, the KGB. Informant said this would become even more important because of the political implications of such an arrest and pointed out that the Soviet Government would suffer a great loss of prestige. Informant pointed out that if this occurred, the KGB itself would be seriously damaged since NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV would probably do everything in his power to curtail if not actually destroy the KGB.

Informant also pointed out at this time that an arrest of this type focused on a KGB employee of the Security Branch would greatly relieve some of the attention which now surrounds the Scientific and Technical Branch because of the arrest of four personnel of this branch in October, 1963.

It is noted that the informant very often has requested the interviewing agents to have the FBI's attention focused on KGB employees within the Political and Security Branches for this specific purpose, to dispel interest which has surrounded the Scientific and Technical Branch in the past.

For the information of the Bureau, the informant frequently makes suggestions to the interviewing agents about different personalities within the KGB in NY to concentrate attention on. He has even suggested at one time that it would be beneficial if the FBI place ANATOLI GOLITZYN, the Soviet defector, in the firehouse at 67th Street, opposite the Soviet Mission building so that GOLITZYN

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firsthand could identify KGB personnel entering and leaving the Soviet Mission. Suggestions of this type are made by the informant in an offhand, casual manner and are made frequently, as different personalities come to his mind.

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It is the firm opinion of the interviewing agents that the informant's suggestion to arrest KOLOBASHKIN and the representative of the CP, USA was made in precisely the same offhand, casual way. The interviewing agents are certain that there was no implication in the informant's remarks indicating any awareness or knowledge of the identity of the CP representative mentioned above. The interviewing agents feel certain that nothing was intended by the informant's remark and that no significance can be attached to it.

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We can't be "certain" about any such matter and we can't ignore possible significance.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub F)
SUBJECT: SOLO
IS - C

DATE: 4/3/64

ReBulet dated May 4, 1960, and CGlet dated March 5, 1964.

ReBulet dated May 4, 1960, instructed Chicago to set forth details of receipts and disbursements of funds in possession of CG 5824-S* and report such information to the Bureau by the fifth of the month following the month being reported.

Balance of funds in possession of
CG 5824-S* as of February 29, 1964

Solo Funds

Maintained in cash in safe deposit
box, Michigan Avenue National Bank,
Chicago, Illinois.....\$ 643.83

Maintained in cash in safe deposit
box, Mid-America National Bank,
Chicago, Illinois..... 62,000.00

CP, USA Reserve Funds

Maintained in cash in safe deposit
box, Michigan Avenue National Bank,
Chicago, Illinois..... 26,153.32

Total \$88,797.15

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Additions

None.

Disbursements

Solo Funds

None.

CP, USA Reserve Funds

3/6/64 to MAX WEINSTEIN, Chicago,
for the purchase price, license,
sales tax, and related expense
in connection with purchasing
1964 Pontiac sedan which was
turned over to CP, USA, New York
City, mid-March, 1964.....\$ 3,100.00

Total funds in possession of CG 5824-S*
as of March 31, 1964

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TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: 4/6/64

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Baumgardner
- 1 - Mr. Shaw

SUBJECT: SOLO

INTERNAL SECURITY - COMMUNIST

CG 5824-S* recently obtained the following information from Norman Freed, a functionary of the Communist Party (CP) of Canada.

Freed advised that he and a representative of the CP of Bulgaria visited Indonesia in January, 1964, as guests of the CP of Indonesia and were provided with an extended tour of Indonesia. They also had an opportunity to confer with Dipa N. Aidit, General Secretary, CP of Indonesia and member without portfolio of the cabinet of President Sukarno. According to Freed, Aidit made the following comments.

Meeting Between President Sukarno and U. S. Attorney General Kennedy

President Sukarno told Aidit in early January, 1964, that just prior thereto he had seen Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy and was still in the process of continuing discussions with Kennedy. President Sukarno indicated he had promised Kennedy that there would be no confrontation of forces of Indonesia and Malaysia at that time. Sukarno explained to Aidit that he made this promise because Indonesia was not then in a position "to do it right now," and that "by avoiding a fight with the Americans at that time, they had also avoided enabling the Americans to save the British in that area." Aidit described Sukarno as representing the "left section of the bourgeoisie."

CP of Indonesia

Aidit noted that the CP of Indonesia has 55% of the Armed Forces and 85% of the personnel of the Air Force "in its hand." He indicated that the Indonesian CP has 3½ million members and could draw 50% of the total vote in any election. However, he noted that the CP was not interested in urging that any elections be held. Aidit remarked that his Party has established an extensive network of schools

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RE: SOLO
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throughout Indonesia, and indicated that the people must be educated so that they can understand Party material.

Comments Concerning the Soviet Union

The Soviet Union, according to Aidit, is building capitalism and will someday "fully revert back to capitalism." He cited an example of having purchased a similar wearing apparel in both Moscow and New York City and reached the conclusions that the Soviets wanted to make more profit than the United States capitalists did on this same item.

Tour of Indonesia

Freed indicated there was much that he saw during his tour of Indonesia that was shocking. For example, he noted that when you walked into villages you saw people starving and in some villages half of the population is blind and suffering from glaucoma. He noted that a person thirty years of age is considered old.

OBSERVATION:

By letter dated 3/30/64 the Attorney General and Deputy Attorney General were furnished the pertinent portion of this information which relates to Attorney General's discussion with Sukarno. We are furnishing the top levels of State, Central Intelligence Agency, as well as the White House, a briefed version of this information.

ACTION:

That the attached letters, classified "Top Secret" to protect our source, be sent to the Honorable Walter W. Jenkins, Special Assistant to the President; the Honorable Dean Rusk, the Secretary of State; the Honorable John A. McCone, Director, Central Intelligence Agency; Director, Bureau of Intelligence and Research, Department of State; and Central Intelligence Agency (Deputy Director, Plans). The latter two letters contain a detailed account of the information furnished by CG 5824-S*. *over*

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: 4/3/64

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner

1-Mr. Belmont
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SUBJECT: SOLO
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This is to recommend that no specific targets be assigned to NY 694-S* relative to his forthcoming Solo mission.

My memorandum of 4/1/64 pointed out that NY 694-S* plans to depart for Moscow on a Solo mission shortly after 4/6/64. While in Moscow, informant plans to have the Soviets fly him to Cuba where he will confer with Cuban Premier Castro relative to improving relations between the Castro regime and the CPUSA.

In past Solo missions, we have prepared a list of specific targets to be assigned to our Solo informants involving matters of paramount interest to the Bureau and the United States Government. However, both NY 694-S* and CG 5824-S* have advised that such briefings are of no value since they have been assigned specific objectives by the CPUSA and to risk making inquiries concerning matters which are of no concern to the CPUSA could seriously jeopardize their security and could even result in their execution. Our Solo informants have advised that they are aware of the type of information which is of prime interest to us and will do everything possible, commensurate with their security, to obtain such information. However, they feel that the assignment of specific targets is of no value since they cannot risk taking any written notes relative to the targets and could not possibly remember all the specific objectives which we might assign to them.

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RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that no specific objectives be assigned to NY 694-S* relative to this forthcoming Solo mission. However, we will prepare a list of objectives which can be used in debriefing informant when he returns from his mission.

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April 7, 1964

BY LIAISON

Honorable John A. McCone
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D. C.

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Honorable John A. McCone

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Enclosure

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Date: 3/26/64

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL REGISTERED MAIL
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

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Enclosed herewith for the New York Office is the following material received by and/or prepared by MAX WEINSTEIN of Chicago. This material, according to CG 5824-S*, was prepared or received by WEINSTEIN as a result of some discussions he must have held with Soviet trade representatives during late 1963 while he was in the Soviet Union. These items, according to CG 5824-S*, are to be provided to NY 694-S* who in turn is requested to pass them on to his Solo contact at his next regular meet in New York.

The items enclosed for NY 694-S* are as follows:

1. Carbon copy of a letter addressed to MAX WEINSTEIN from the Signode Steel Strapping Company, dated 3/3/64.
2. Carbon copy of a memo dated 3/5/64 prepared by WEINSTEIN relating to the letter of 3/3/64.

(Items 1 and 2 above are contained in an envelope hand addressed by WEINSTEIN which bears the following: D. Gvischiani, State Committee for Coordination of Scientific Research, 11 Gorky St.)

3. A 4-page descriptive folder of the Signode Steel Strapping Company entitled "Signode Power Strapping Machines," Folder Number SPD 119 Rev. 1/64-2500.

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- 3 - Bureau (Enc. 5) (RM)
1 - New York (100-134637) (Enc. 5) (RM)
1 - Chicago

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Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

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4. A 4-page descriptive folder of Signode Steel Strapping Company entitled "Signode M20 Series," Folder Number SPD 246 Rev. 10/63-5M-A.
5. A 48-page catalog of Signode Steel Strapping Company Products, Number 22.

CG 5824-S* suggests that when NY 694-S* turns the foregoing items over to his Solo contact in New York that the following note be attached:

Would you please check to see if the people mentioned in the documents are receiving this material. Similar material has been sent through the open mails to them but they do not reply and we do not know if they are receiving it.

Also enclosed herewith for the Bureau are original copies and for the New York Office Xerox copies of the above noted items 1 through 4. A Xerox copy of the cover page only of item 5 is being enclosed herewith for the Bureau and New York because of the extensive nature of this item; however, should the Bureau desire the complete catalog, it can be readily secured from Signode Steel Strapping Company, Chicago.

For the Bureau's information, it has been ascertained that items 3, 4, and 5 as noted above are generally available from Signode Steel Strapping Company to the general public and there is no information from review of these items that they contain any information affecting the national defense interest of the United States.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

April 9, 1964

1 - Mr. Branigan
1 - Mr. Shaw

AIRTEL

To: SAC, New York (100-134637)

From: Director, FBI (100-428091)

SOLO

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Reurairtel 4-3-64.

Reairtel sets forth information furnished by Fedora suggesting that an arrest of Aleksey Kolobashkin and an unidentified representative of the Communist Party, USA (CPUSA), during a meeting at which money was being turned over by Kolobashkin to this unidentified individual would be a tremendous blow to the KGB. Your office has indicated that Fedora's suggestion was made in an off-hand, casual manner primarily because of Fedora's intense dislike of Kolobashkin. *B*

In analyzing Fedora's remarks and the conditions under which they were made, your office has indicated it does not appear that Fedora is aware of the identity of NY 694-S*, who, of course, is the CPUSA representative who meets with Kolobashkin but whose identity is not known to Fedora.

The Bureau is concerned over Fedora's remarks and regards this as a potential situation which could adversely affect the security of NY 694-S*. This is the third occasion within the past year on which Fedora has furnished information pertaining to Kolobashkin's delivering funds to a representative of the CPUSA. In order to fully protect our Solo operation, we cannot let Fedora think we are not interested in this information; therefore, immediate steps must be taken to fully explore with Fedora all angles of this matter. In this connection, you are to promptly recontact Fedora, commensurate with the security of this informant, and carefully explore with him the following points:

1 - 105-104811 (Fedora)

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Airtel to New York
RE: SOLO
100-428091

1. We are interested in learning every detail concerning Kolobashkin's contacts with an unidentified representative of the CPUSA.

2. We are exploring the laws to ascertain if there are any statutes which would permit the arrest of Kolobashkin and his unidentified CPUSA agent during a meeting at which Kolobashkin would be transferring funds to his agent. It would be extremely helpful in this regard if Fedora could ascertain if Kolobashkin is receiving any classified documents during his meetings with his CPUSA agent which would make an arrest under the espionage statutes feasible.

3. Does Fedora know the name of Kolobashkin's CPUSA agent? If not, can he secure it?

4. Would a close surveillance of Kolobashkin in any manner jeopardize the security of Fedora?

The results of your recontact with Fedora must be promptly furnished to the Bureau along with your recommendations regarding any action which may be warranted to protect the security of NY 694-S*.

In order to give NY 694-S* the best possible security, you should comment specifically on the following for our consideration:

1. Would it be desirable to place a close physical surveillance on Kolobashkin for the purpose of neutralizing him and thus force the KGB to assign a new agent to contact NY 694-S*?

2. When should such a physical surveillance be initiated?

3. How long should it be continued?

4. Would such action on our part endanger the security of NY 694-S*?

5. Would such action on our part endanger the security of Fedora?

You should be aware of the possibility that Fedora may be a plant and his comments relative to Kolobashkin may be designed by the KGB to check on the legitimacy of NY 694-S*

Airtel to New York
RE: SOLO
100-428091

as a Soviet agent; therefore, your comments and recommendations to the Bureau must represent the best analysis of this situation by your most knowledgeable and experienced Agents.

NOTE:

On 3-27-64 Fedora mentioned several meetings which he has called to our attention involving Kolobashkin and an unidentified representative of the CPUSA. Fedora advised that he is aware of the fact that Kolobashkin has met with a CPUSA representative on several occasions specifically for the purpose of transferring large sums of money from the Soviets to the CPUSA. Fedora remarked that although there were probably good reasons for not doing so, it was his opinion that an arrest by the FBI of Kolobashkin and the CPUSA representative during a meeting at which money was being turned over, would be a tremendous blow to the KGB. New York Office was asked whether this statement indicated Fedora might have knowledge as to the identity of NY 694-S*. Our New York Office stated it did not and pointed out that suggestions of this type are made by Fedora in "an off-hand, casual manner" and are made frequently as different personalities come to his mind. New York feels certain that there was no implication in Fedora's remarks indicating knowledge of the identity of NY 694-S* and that no significance in this regard can be attached to his remarks. In spite of New York's evaluation of this matter, it is felt that we must continue to take every precaution with respect to our Solo operation. Therefore, New York is instructed as above noted to vigorously pursue this matter with Fedora in order that every possible measure can be undertaken to protect our source.

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

1 - Liaison
1 - Mr. Branigan
1 - Mr. Shaw

(IS) 100-428091

BY LIAISON

Date: April 9, 1964

To: Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
Department of State

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Subject: TIMUR TIMOFEEVICH TIMOFEEV
INTERNAL SECURITY - R

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The following information was furnished by
a source which has furnished reliable information in
the past.

Timur Timofeevich Timofeev, Deputy Director
of the Institute for World Economy and International
Affairs, Soviet Academy of Science, and the son of
Eugene Dennis, deceased former Chairman of the
Communist Party, USA, is being groomed for the top
position of Director of the Institute. He is being
groomed for this important position by the present
Director of the Institute who is a close friend and
personal adviser to Soviet Premier Nikita S. Khrushchev
on economic matters.

Timofeev has been given time off from his
present responsibilities at the Institute and is currently
in the process of securing a Ph.D. degree which will give
him additional stature.

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1 - Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Attention: Deputy Director, Plans

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Director
Bureau of Intelligence and Research
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NOTE:

Letter classified "~~Secret~~" because disclosure of this information to unauthorized persons would jeopardize the source who is furnishing information on a top-level basis concerning the international communist movement. Source is CG 5824-S*. See Chicago airtel 4/3/64 captioned "Solo, IS-C" which discloses that CG 5824-S* obtained this information from Norman Freed, functionary of the Canadian Communist Party.

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

SAC, New York (100-134637) ..

April 9, 1964

Director, FBI (100-428091) - 3796

1 - Mr. Shaw

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INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Reurlet 4/3/64, setting forth transactions regarding Solo funds as reported by NY 694-S* during the month of March, 1964.

It is noted that on 3/12/64 the sum of \$12,000 was furnished to Lena Davis Scherer and a portion of this sum was for the Communist Party of Canada.

Advise as to the specific amount of funds furnished to the Canadian Communist Party and the purpose which the Canadian Communist Party intends to make of these funds.

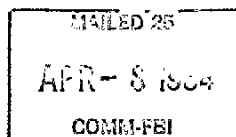
NOTE:

Norman Freed, Canadian CP representative to the "World Marxist Review," visited CPUSA headquarters in March, 1964. Relet reflects that Freed was given funds from the CPUSA for the use of the Canadian CP. This may have been in connection with having the Canadian CP forward these funds to Beatrice Johnson, CPUSA representative in Havana, Cuba.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

DATE: 4/3/64

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637A)

SUBJECT: SOLO
IS-C

ReNYlet 3/4/64.

The records of the NYO reflect the following transactions regarding SOLO funds, as reported by NY 694-S* during the month of March, 1964:

Credits

On Hand 3/1/64	\$234,595.00
Received 3/17/64	\$150,000.00
	<u>\$384,595.00</u>

Debits

3/9/64 to [redacted] for National Office expenses	\$ 6,000.00
3/12/64 to LENA DAVIS SCHERER for National Office and NEC meeting scheduled for 4/8/64 and for Norman Freed for the CP of Canada	\$12,000.00
3/18/64 to ISADORE WOFSY for HERBERT APTHEKER, GUS HALL and "Political Affairs"	\$10,000.00
3/30/64 to LEM HARRIS for Camp Unity and GUS HALL	\$ 6,000.00
	<u>\$34,000.00</u>
Balance:	\$350,595.00

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TO : Mr. Conrad *W.C.*

DATE: April 7, 1964

FROM : C. F. Downing *CFD*

SUBJECT: SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Captioned case involves the Bureau's highly valuable confidential informant NY-694-S* who has been receiving communications transmitted to him by radio.

On 3/7/64 transmissions were heard by the Bureau's radio station at Midland at scheduled times and frequencies, but no messages were transmitted.

ACTION:

For information.

2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

SAC, New York (100-134637)

April 14, 1964

Director, FBI (100-428091)

1 - Mr. Shaw

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Reurairtel 4/8/64 which discloses that NY 694-S* on 4/7/64 received from Valentine A. Zaitzev the sum of \$165,000, \$15,000 of which was to be delivered to Jessica Smith, Editor of "New World Review."

Since the \$15,000 is earmarked for the use of "New World Review" rather than the specific use of the Communist Party, USA (CPUSA), the question arises as to whether the \$15,000 is to be considered in our accounting of the total amount of funds the Soviets have furnished the CPUSA or whether this is a separate transaction with the "New World Review" in which the CPUSA merely served as the middleman.

On the occasion of your next contact with NY 694-S* it should be determined if the \$15,000 is to be considered a part of Solo funds. The Bureau should be promptly advised with respect to this matter. In the future you should advise the Bureau relative to whether or not funds received from the Soviets are to be included in the accounting of Solo funds. It should not be necessary for the Bureau to have to prompt your office in each instance.

NOTE:

CG 5824-S*, while in the Soviet Union in late 1963, discussed with Soviet officials the urgent need of funds for "New World Review." This is a Soviet propaganda organ published in New York City. It was formerly known as "Soviet Russia Today." Jessica Smith, the wife of John Abt, CPUSA Attorney, is Editor of "New World Review" and \$15,000 of the sum NY 694-S* received from the Soviets on 4/7/64 is to eventually be turned over to Smith. A question has arisen as to whether this \$15,000 is to be considered in the total amount of funds the Soviets have supplied to the CPUSA and New York is being requested to contact NY 694-S* in order to resolve this.

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

FBI

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Date: 4/3/64

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

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Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the original and three copies of a letterhead memorandum captioned, "Timur Timofeev, Deputy Director, Institute for World Economy and International Affairs, Academy of Science of USSR, Moscow." One copy of this letterhead memorandum is also enclosed for the New York Office.

Information appearing in the enclosed letterhead memorandum was orally furnished by CG 5824-S* on 4/1/64.

The information set forth in the enclosed letterhead memorandum was received by CG 5824-S* during confidential discussions carried on with NORMAN FREED in New York City during the period of 3/10-12/64.

The enclosed letterhead memorandum has been classified "~~SECRET~~" inasmuch as it sets forth information from CG 5824-S*, a highly confidential source who is furnishing information on a continuing basis concerning the international communist movement, disclosure of which would jeopardize the future continuing effectiveness of this source.

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Approved: [Signature]
Special Agent in Charge

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For the further protection of the source, the enclosed letterhead memorandum has been shown as having been made at Washington, D. C.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Washington, D. C.
April 3, 1964

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TIMUR TIMOFEEV, DEPUTY DIRECTOR, INSTITUTE
FOR WORLD ECONOMY AND INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS,
ACADEMY OF SCIENCE OF USSR, MOSCOW U.S.S.R.

A source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, in early April, 1964, advised as follows:

Norman Freed, Communist Party (CP) of Canada representative to the "World Marxist Review," the official theoretical organ of the international communist movement which headquarters in Prague, Czechoslovakia, in mid-March, 1964, noted that recently, while passing through Moscow, USSR, he had been in contact with Timur Timofeev, also known as Timmy Dennis. Timofeev was the son of Eugene Dennis, deceased, former General Secretary of the CP, USA, and is now a Deputy Director of the Institute for World Economy and International Affairs, an affiliate of the Academy of Science of the USSR, Moscow. According to Freed, he learned from Timofeev that that individual is now being groomed for the top position at the Institute for World Economy and International Affairs; that is, the position of Director of the Institute. He is being given time off from his present responsibilities at the Institute and is currently working in order to secure a Ph.D. Degree which would give him additional stature.

Timofeev is being groomed for this important job by the present head of the Institute who is a close friend of and personal adviser to Premier Nikita S. Khrushchev and A. I. Mikoyan, First Deputy Premier of the USSR, on economic matters.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

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Memorandum

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: 4/7/64

FROM : Mr. E. J. Baumgardner

1 - Mr. Belmont
 1 - Mr. Sullivan
 1 - Mr. Baumgardner
 1 - Mr. Shaw

SUBJECT: SOLO

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My memorandum of 3/12/64 set forth in detail receipts of funds from the Soviet Union and Red China by the Communist Party, USA (CPUSA) and the disbursements of these funds during February, 1964. The following schedule shows the present status of these funds together with receipts and disbursements during March, 1964.

SUMMARY:

Total received from Soviet Union 9/58 to 3/31/64....	\$1,829,991.00
Total received from Red China 2/60 to 3/31/64.....	50,000.00
Grand total received 9/58 to 3/31/64.....	<u>1,879,991.00</u>
Total disbursements to 3/31/64.....	<u>1,466,752.17</u>
Balance of Fund 3/31/64.....	\$413,238.83*

\$350,595.00 maintained by NY 694-S in New York City; \$62,643.83 maintained by CG 5824-S* in Chicago

DETAILS:

Total received from Soviet Union 9/58 to 2/29/64....	\$1,679,991.00
Total received from Red China 2/60 to 2/29/64.....	50,000.00
Grand total received 9/58 to 2/29/64.....	<u>1,729,991.00</u>
Total disbursements to 2/29/64.....	<u>1,432,752.17</u>
Balance of Fund 2/29/64.....	\$297,238.83

Receipts during March, 1964..... \$150,000.00**

**Received by NY 694-S* in New York City on 3/17/64 from Aleksey Kolobashkin, Third Secretary, Soviet Mission to United Nations.

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Memorandum to Mr. W. C. Sullivan
RE: SOLO
100-428091

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Disbursements during March, 1964:

3/9/64 - To [redacted] "leg man" for Gus Hall.....\$ 6,000.00
CPUSA General Secretary, to be used for
CPUSA National Office.

3/12/64 - To Lena Scherer, CPUSA Reserve Fund..... 12,000.00
functionary, to cover expenses of CPUSA
National Office; CPUSA National Executive
Committee meeting 4/4-6/64; Norman Freed,
Canadian CP official; and for CP of Canada.

3/18/64 - To Isadore Wofsy, CPUSA Reserve Fund..... 10,000.00
official, for use of CPUSA functionaries
Gus Hall and Herbert Aptheker; and for
"Political Affairs," CPUSA theoretical organ.

3/30/64 - To Lem Harris, CPUSA Reserve Fund official..... 6,000.00
for Camp Unity, CPUSA children's camp, and
for use of Gus Hall.

Total disbursement - March, 1964..... \$34,000.00

Balance of Fund 3/31/64..... \$413,238.83

ACTION:

None. This memorandum is submitted for your information.
An up-to-date accounting of the Solo Funds will be brought to your
attention each month. Details of the accounting of these funds are
not to be disseminated.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091) DATE: 3/27/64
(ATT: ASST. DIR. WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN)

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)

SUBJECT: SOLO
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W.C. Sullivan

Reference is made to previous communications with the Bureau involving NY 694-S* and his wife contemplating a trip abroad during the first part of April, 1964.

In connection with obtaining a passport, one of the necessary items to be used for such purpose in proving identity, was a New York State driver's license under the maiden name of informant's wife. An attempt was made through contacts with the New York State Motor Vehicle Bureau, both in New York City and Albany, to obtain blank forms. It was determined that all of these forms are maintained in Albany and that the Motor Vehicle Bureau in Albany did not desire to give out any of these forms although they would be willing to make up whatever license was necessary. In view of the highly sensitive nature of this operation, it was deemed inadvisable to do so.

The only remaining source for these forms would be the printer which in this case is the International Business Machines Corporation (IBM). In this connection, Supervisor

[redacted] contacted Mr. [redacted] of IBM and a personal friend of Supervisor [redacted] for the past 20 years. Mr. [redacted] advised that this would be a difficult task since any forms retained by IBM would have been voided by the use of either ink or perforations. He stated that Mr. [redacted] was [redacted] for IBM at Dayton, New Jersey, where the cards are printed and that Mr. [redacted] was a very close friend of his and he would vouch for his loyalty, responsibility and discretion. He stated that he would contact Mr. [redacted] briefly set out the problem and then Mr. [redacted] should call Mr. [redacted]. This was done and Mr. [redacted] advised that there are no forms in the possession of IBM which have not been voided. In order to obtain some it would be necessary to go through two processes, the first would be to tint the paper they have in stock and the second would be to set up the machine

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to print them. Mr. [] stated he would do anything for the FBI and that this could be handled without anyone other than himself and Mr. [] knowing that this was for the FBI. He would advise the man immediately responsible for handling the assignment that these forms were in connection with a sales matter and that they needed them right away. He further stated that it would be necessary to interrupt one of their presses presently in operation printing cards for another project but he would be willing to stop the operation, reset the machine and furnish us with whatever cards were needed. He further stated that there would be no record made and that no charge would be made to the FBI. Mr. [] realizing the urgency in this matter, was able to perfect this arrangement and the New York Office was in possession of 50 blank cards within five hours. b6 b7C

It will be seen from the above that both Mr. [] and Mr. [] performed an outstanding service for the Bureau. In addition, this service could not have been obtained from any other source. It was possible to handle the matter with the utmost discretion and without either Mr. [] or Mr. [] having any knowledge of the purpose of this request. Further, it is obvious that IBM was put to considerable expense in handling this matter. b6 b7C

In view of the outstanding cooperation of Mr. [] and Mr. [] it is being recommended that a letter from the Director be sent to each, expressing appreciation for the services performed for the FBI. It is felt that this would be most appreciated. The indices in both Newark and New York are negative.

The letters should be addressed as follows:

Mr. []
X International Business Machines Corp.
590 Madison Avenue
New York, N.Y., 10022 b6 b7C

Mr. []
International Business Machines Corp.
Dayton, New Jersey

It is suggested that since the exact assignment cannot be set out in the Director's letters, reference be made to the recent cooperation with representatives of the New York Office.

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It is also recommended that a letter of commendation be directed to Supervisor [redacted] for the exceptional work performed by him in obtaining these blank forms. It was as a result of investigative ingenuity displayed by him that we considered approaching IBM for the cards and we were able to accomplish this objective within a brief period of time because of the services rendered primarily by Mr. [redacted] who has been a personal friend of Mr. [redacted] for many years. b6 b7C

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NY 694-S* and his wife plan to accept an invitation from the Soviets to visit Russia in early April, 1964. In connection with this matter, it will be necessary to fabricate for informant's wife a New York State driver's license to be used for identification purposes when she applies for a passport. It was not possible to obtain the necessary driver's license form from the New York State Motor Vehicle Bureau for this purpose. However, New York Supervisor [redacted] b6 b7C called upon one of his personal friends, Mr. [redacted] a [redacted] of International Business Machines Corporation (IBM) which prints the driver license forms, and was successful in having Mr. [redacted] make the necessary arrangements for Mr. [redacted] IBM [redacted] at Dayton, New Jersey, to make available to Supervisor [redacted] a supply of the pertinent forms. This matter was handled with utmost discretion and IBM was put to considerable expense in handling this matter for us. SAC recommends that IBM officials, Mr. [redacted] and Mr. [redacted] be given individual letters from the Director expressing appreciation for their outstanding cooperation in this matter.

SAC also recommends that a letter of commendation be directed to Supervisor [redacted] expressing appreciation for the investigative ingenuity displayed by him in making the approach to IBM for the necessary forms. SAC notes that this objective was accomplished within a brief period of time primarily because of Mr. [redacted] who has been a personal friend of Supervisor [redacted] for many years. b6 b7C

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Due to the extremely sensitive nature of the Solo operation, it is not deemed judicious to give a written letter of appreciation to IBM officials. Mr. [redacted] and Mr. [redacted] It is assumed that Supervisor [redacted] orally expressed the appreciation of the Bureau at the time these officials performed their service. New York is being advised by separate letter that the Bureau does not feel that letters from the Director should be sent to the afore-mentioned IBM officials. b6 b7C

2. It is not felt that Supervisor [redacted] performance in this instance warrants a letter of commendation. Supervisor [redacted] has been serving in a supervisory capacity

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in the New York Office for many years and it is to be expected that over the years he would have developed sources in a position to render the service which was done by the IBM officials.

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should be commended.

Belmont agrees.

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Date: 4/9/64

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)
 SUBJECT: SOLO
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On 4/9/64, there was received from the Soviets, via radio, a ciphered-coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"To GUS HALL

- "1. Assistance to PAUL ROBESON was rendered in response to his request, received from London. 200 U.S.
- "2. Royalties to ELIZABETH GURLEY FLYNN, HERBERT APTHEKER and JIM ALLEN are sent to International Publishers, in accordance with the request from JIM ALLEN. In future we will follow your advice.
- "3. We have no information on LOUIS SAILLANT's visit to USA.
- "4. JACK BROOKS and his wife may receive Czechoslovakian floating visas in Bern, but not in Zurich.
- "5. MARY COE is discharged from hospital and will be sent to sanatorium for rest. You will be informed on the date of her departure for USA." See FIVE

- ③ - BUREAU (100-428091) (RM)
 1 - CHICAGO (134-46-Sub-B) (RM-AM)
 1 - NY 134-91-INV. (41)
 1 - NY 100-134637 (41)

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Special Agent in Charge

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

DATE: 4/10/64

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)

SUBJECT: SOLO
IS-C

ReBulet 4/9/64, concerning the sum of \$12,000 furnished to LENA DAVIS SCHERER a portion of which was for the Communist Party of Canada.

The disposition of the aforementioned \$12,000 is as follows:

On 3/12/64, pursuant to instructions of GUS HALL, NY 694-S* gave LENA DAVIS SCHERER, out of SOLO funds in the informant's possession, \$12,000.00 in twenty dollar bills to be designated in the following manner:

(1) \$600.00 to be given to NORMAN FREED, Canadian CP functionary then in NYC - \$100 of this was to reimburse FREED for travelling expenses incidental to FREED's trip to NYC - the remaining \$500 of this was to reimburse the CP of Canada for having advanced that amount to BEA JOHNSON, CPUSA representative in Cuba, at the request of the CPUSA.

(2) \$11,400.00 was given to SCHERER for payment of the CPUSA National Office expenses, including salaries and maintenance and for paying the expenses of a CPUSA National Executive Committee meeting scheduled to be held on 4/8/64.

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

W. C. SULLIVAN

4-10-64

W. A. BRANIGAN

FEDORA
INTERNAL SECURITY - RUSSIA

1 - Belmont
1 - Sullivan
1 - DE Moore
1 - Branigan
1 - Baumgardner
1 - Torrillo

This is informative memo concerning comment by Fedora as to the effect which an arrest of Soviet national Aleksey Kolobashkin while in act of transferring funds to Communist Party, USA (CPUSA), would have on the Soviets.

During interview 3-27-64 Fedora referred to several meetings about which he had told us involving Kolobashkin, KGB (Committee of State Security) employee assigned Soviet UN Mission and an unknown representative of the CPUSA for the purpose of transferring large sums of money from the Soviets to the CPUSA. Fedora then remarked that although there were probably good reasons for not doing so, it was his opinion an arrest by the FBI of Kolobashkin and the CPUSA representative while the money was being turned over would be a tremendous blow to the KGB.

Fedora is not aware of the identity of the CP representative involved nor, of course, that he is our informant NY 694-S* and that we have coverage of such meetings. In view of the value of NY 694-S* to the Bureau, it is not feasible to take any such action as proposed by Fedora. We will, of course, continue to follow the situation closely to assure the greatest advantage to the Bureau and the greatest disadvantage to the Soviets.

ACTION:

For information.

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Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: April 9, 1964

FROM : C. F. Downing

SUBJECT: **SOLO**
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Captioned case involves the Bureau's highly valuable confidential informant NY-694-S* who has been receiving communications directed to him by radio.

On 4/9/64, transmissions were heard by the Bureau's radio station at Midland on scheduled times and frequencies at which time one message, NR 728 GR 138, was sent.

The plain text is set forth below, the cipher text is attached.

TO BIRCH (Gus Hall) (Number) 1. ASSISTANCE TO LARK (Paul Robeson) WAS RENDERED IN RESPONSE TO HIS REQUEST, RECEIVED FROM VILLAGE (London). (Number) 2. ROYALTIES TO GRASS (Elizabeth Gurley Flynn), ACORN (Herb Aptheker) AND BARK (Jim Allen) ARE SENT TO INTERNATIONAL PUBLISHERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUEST FROM BARK (Jim Allen). IN FUTURE WE WILL FOLLOW YOUR ADVICE. (Number) 3. WE HAVE NO INFORMATION ON LOUIS SAILLANT'S VISIT TO COVE (U.S.A.). (Number) 4. SPRING (Jack Brooks) AND HIS WIFE MAY RECEIVE BEACH (Czechoslovakia) BRIEF-CASE (Floating Visa) IN BERNE, BUT NOT IN DELTA (Zurich). (Number) 5. [REDACTED] IS DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITAL AND WILL BE SENT TO SANATORIUM FOR SUN (rest). YOU WILL BE INFORMED ON THE DATE OF HER LOG (Departure) FOR COVE (U.S.A.).

LOUIS SAILLANT is the General Secretary of the World Federation of Trade Unions, Prague, Czechoslovakia. [REDACTED] is the [REDACTED] of Charles Coe, a CPUSA member in New York. She has been studying in the USSR and while there suffered a mental breakdown.

ACTION:

For information.

Enclosures

1 - Mr. Belmont

2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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TO MR DOWNING

FROM A W SMYTH

RADIO

RE SPECIAL NR 2. STATION HEARD ON FIRST TRANSMISSION AND SENT
THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE -----

NR 728 GR 138

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

1 - Mr. Shaw

SAC, Chicago (134-46 Sub B)

April 15, 1964

Director, FBI (100-428091)

PERSONAL ATTENTION

SOLO

INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Re Chicago airtel 4-7-64 which sets forth the comments of CG 5824-S* relative to the assignment given NY 694-S* by Aleksey Kolobashkin that as many of "our young people" as possible be encouraged to participate in the Foreign Service Scholar Program.

The Bureau has carefully weighed the comments of CG 5824-S* set forth in reairtel. In view of the many hazards inherent in this situation which could adversely affect the security of the Solo operation, the Bureau does not plan to recommend that any of its sources participate in the Foreign Service Scholar Program. B

The Bureau concurs with the observations of CG 5824-S* that this assignment given NY 694-S* by Kolobashkin should be brought to the attention of Gus Hall. You should advise the Bureau relative to Hall's comments concerning this matter.

1 - New York (100-134637)

NOTE:

On 1-21-64 NY 694-S* was given the assignment by Kolobashkin relative to having "our young people" participate in the Foreign Service Scholar Program at Howard University (financed by the Ford Foundation) designed to prepare Negroes and Spanish-speaking Americans for diplomatic posts. We disseminated this information to State and CIA on 1-28-64. NY 694-S* withheld action on this assignment pending an opportunity to discuss this matter with CG 5824-S* to see if it would be feasible to place Bureau sources in this program.

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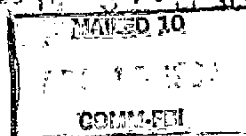
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NOTE, CONTINUED

CG 5824-S* has pointed out that the total responsibility for carrying out the assignment could seriously jeopardize the over-all security of the Solo operation if anything adverse developed concerning any of the Bureau sources inserted into this scholarship program. CG 5824-S* also observed that failure to bring NY 694-S*'s assignment to Gus Hall's attention would raise the risk of having a similar request transmitted to Hall from the Soviets by individuals who have contacts with the Soviets in New York City. CG 5824-S* stated he knew of no one who possessed the background and whom he felt could withstand the scrutiny such individuals would be subjected to by the State Department prior to their appointments for such scholarship training.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

SAC, Chicago (134-46 Sub B)

4/15/64

Director, FBI (100-428091)

PERSONAL ATTENTION

1 - Mr. Shaw

SOLO

INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Reurlet 4/7/64, enclosing two items dealing with the World Federation of Trade Unions (WFTU).

In relet your office requested to be advised whether the Bureau has an interest in receiving photostats of such items and noting that the Chicago Office has photostats of current WFTU bulletins number five and number six for March, 1964, which can be forwarded to the Bureau if desired.

The Central Intelligence Agency has expressed an interest in receiving all available material relating to the WFTU and you should therefore forward copies of the WFTU bulletins in your possession.

NOTE:

CG 5824-S* received sensitive material from the WFTU through a Chicago mail drop utilized in the Solo operation. The WFTU is a communist designated World Trade Union Organization with headquarters at Prague, Czechoslovakia. Liaison Agent ascertained that Central Intelligence Agency is interested in receiving all available material of the WFTU.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)
SUBJECT: SOLO
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DATE: 4/7/64

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"LATIN American" enclosure

On April 2, 1964, CG 5824-S* provided SAs WALTER A. BOYLE and RICHARD W. HANSEN with an 8-page item dealing with the Second International Trade Union Conference on the Problems of Women Workers, scheduled for Bucharest, Rumania, May 11-16, 1964, and sponsored by the World Federation of Trade Unions (WFTU).

At the same time, the source also furnished a 39-page pamphlet entitled, "Latin America Armed Terror Against Trade Unions," issued by the WFTU.

CG 5824-S* advised that both of the above items had been sent to him in care of the following Chicago drop address:

JOHN SHOULDERS
In care of Modern Book Store
54 East Chicago Avenue
Chicago - USA

The above items were received as enclosures to the "Trade Union Press," international bulletin of the WFTU published in Prague, Czechoslovakia. Source advised that apparently BELLE CHAPMAN, a former employee of the WFTU in Prague, had sometime prior to her return to the U.S. last winter arranged for the mailing to him of the WFTU bulletin and supplemental material issued by the WFTU, which he now has received at the noted Chicago drop.

Since the above-mentioned Second International Trade Union Conference on the Problems of Women Workers has been the subject of an earlier letterhead memorandum submitted under caption of instant case and because it was felt that the pamphlet dealing with Latin America was of possible interest to the Bureau, both of these items have

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4-29-64 (enclosure in photo)
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been photostated and a photostat of each is being enclosed herewith for the Bureau's information.

In connection with the receipt by CG 5824-S* of the "Trade Union Press," international bulletin of the WFTU, the Chicago Office desires to be advised whether the Bureau may have any interest in receiving photostats of such items. Presently, the Chicago Office has photostats of current WFTU bulletins #5 and #6 for March, 1964, and if these are desired by the Bureau, they can be immediately forwarded.

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum ~~U~~TE ~~1~~ ENVELOPE

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: 4-14-64

FROM : Mr. J. A. Sizoo

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Baumgardner
1 - Mr. Shaw

SUBJECT: SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - COMMUNIST

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SAC Marlin W. Johnson, Chicago, called 4-10-64 concerning the captioned case, and advised that during the course of the visit of CG 5824-S* to New York, Gus Hall furnished the informant with a one-page handwritten document which was unsigned and undated. He gave CG 5824-S* this document without specific instructions other than "to see that it got to the right people." Johnson interpreted this to mean that the informant or NY 694-S* is to get this document to the Russians as soon as possible. Our informant, himself, has no idea as to the identity of the author of this document.

The document reads as follows:

"Have recently met a girl by the name of [redacted] spent much of her life in Japan, as her father is employed by the U.S. Government as the [redacted] 'Stars and Stripes.' While Miss [redacted] was in Japan she was a movie actress, using the stage name of [redacted]. She is quite reluctant to talk about this stage in her life, but I believe she made about twelve films, playing a Japanese speaking Caucasian (who is quite pretty). During this time, she was engaged to a fellow American. They were engaged for almost two years (I'm not sure of this though). The man, whose name she refuses to tell me, was or is an agent for the CIA. She was sworn to secrecy by this chap and will not mention his name.

"What makes this of any importance is the fact that this agent, who speaks fluent Japanese -- and is posing as an American student -- is supposed to have completely infiltrated the Communist Party of Japan. Miss [redacted] reports that the head of the Japanese Communist Party (it could be other left parties as [redacted] is not that aware politically, and could mistake the SP's or anything else left for CP) visited her father's home, where she was living to deliver a marital gift. That this agent is a good friend of the Communist Party leaders, and is himself a member or close to it.

"He was to have recently returned to Japan and is continuing his exchange work, at least this is what [redacted] believes. When [redacted] knew him, in his home he had many hiding places for various papers which she knows nothing about.

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RE: SOLO
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[] considers this chap a psychotic. She has had sufficient training and experience to respect her opinion."

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SAC Johnson furnished the following thoughts relative to this document: (1) The allegations of this unidentified purported CIA agent could be the result of his amorous attention toward Miss [] and could be nothing more than an impersonation; (2) if this individual is a CIA agent and this message is transmitted, he will be uncovered by the Russians and the CP of Japan and his life will be in jeopardy; (3) if CIA is advised and this individual is identified by them as a CIA agent and CIA pulls him out of his present assignment, there is a strong possibility that it could reveal a leak in our apparatus communications; and, (4) another possibility is that this could be an entrapment document to test the informant. The thought is that there may be no truth to the statements made in the document and the entrapment would be if positive action is taken. Along this line, of course, must be considered the possibility of a Russian source in CIA itself who could possibly be aware of our dissemination of this information to CIA.

Recommendation of SAC Johnson

It appears to Mr. Johnson that we will probably have to transmit the tenor of this document at least to CIA; however, it was his recommendation that this be done at the highest level possible in order to protect our apparatus and at the same time determine from CIA if they have a CIA agent who might fit this picture.

Observations of Domestic Intelligence Division

We have carefully analyzed this matter and disagree completely with SAC Johnson's recommendation that CIA be advised. There is no way we can furnish this information to CIA in any form or at any level without seriously jeopardizing the security of the Solo apparatus. In considering the options, one by one, we find it would be completely illogical for us to tell CIA anything at all about this. For instance: (1) If the unknown man is not a CIA agent, we would place the security of our own informants in jeopardy for no purpose; (2) If the unknown man is a CIA agent, the CIA would certainly pull him out of his present assignment. This action would most surely cast strong suspicion and could uncover

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our own vital sources. We have learned from past experience that CIA would take whatever action benefited CIA despite the fact we might give them this information with the stipulation they not take any action which would jeopardize our sources. (3) We cannot instruct our informants to hold the document and not pass it on to the Russians since this action could possibly trap them and uncover their cooperation with the FBI.

Our informants have no choice but to furnish this document to the Soviets. This will be done. To do otherwise could lead them into a trap.

Bureau files contain no identifiable information concerning [redacted] but one [redacted] as of 1956 was serving as Managing [redacted] "Pacific Stars and Stripes," a U.S. Army paper published daily in Tokyo, Japan. [redacted] born 7-9-01 at Oak Grove, Oregon, was fingerprinted 3-25-57 in connection with employment by the U.S. Information Agency. His address at that time was shown as c/o "Stars and Stripes," APO 500, San Francisco, California. Thus, it appears that the information in the aforementioned document that [redacted] is employed by the U.S. Government as [redacted] of "Stars and Stripes" is factual.

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We do not consider it prudent to make any outside inquiries concerning this matter since it is not known how this information came to the Party's attention and any inquiries made at this time could seriously jeopardize the security of NY 694-S*, especially in view of this informant's forthcoming Solo mission.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended we take no action to advise CIA concerning this matter inasmuch as we cannot do so without placing our entire Solo operation in serious jeopardy. We will follow developments in this matter closely and further evaluate our position regarding Ernest Richter, who is evidently a U.S. Government employee, after NY 694-S* returns from his impending Solo mission.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPETO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan *wcs*

DATE: 4/10/64

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner *mf*SUBJECT: SOLO

INTERNAL SECURITY - COMMUNIST

1 - Mr. Belmont
 1 - Mr. Sullivan
 1 - Mr. Baumgardner
 1 - Mr. Shaw

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This is to advise you of the receipt of \$150,000 by the Communist Party, USA (CPUSA), on 4/7/64, as a subsidy from the Communist Party of the Soviet Union (CPSU).

You will recall that CG 5824-S* while on a Solo mission in the Soviet Union during late 1963 relayed to CPSU officials a request from CPUSA General Secretary, Gus Hall, that the CPUSA be provided with \$1,295,000 to assist in its operational expenses for 1964. The Soviets delivered \$30,000 to the CPUSA through the Solo apparatus in January, 1964, and \$150,000 in March, 1964.

On 4/7/64, Valentine Zaitzev, an official of the Soviet Mission to the United Nations, delivered to NY 694-S* a black attache case containing the sum of \$165,000, \$15,000 of which was to be delivered to Jessica Smith, Editor of "New World Review," (specializes in pro-Soviet propaganda). The remaining \$150,000 was a direct financial subsidy to the CPUSA.

The grand total of all funds received by the CPUSA from the Soviets and Chinese since 1958 is now \$2,029,991.

ACTION:

For information. This clandestine receipts of funds from the Soviets is not being disseminated in view of the fact that it would jeopardize our Solo informants.

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TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan *mcg*

DATE: 4-15-64

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner *FJB*

1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Baumgardner
1 - Mr. Shaw

SUBJECT: SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

You have been previously advised concerning NY 694-S*'s impending 15th Solo mission to the Soviet Union and possibly Cuba.

ASAC Don Roney, of the New York Office, called today and talked to Inspector J. A. Sizoo. Roney advised that NY 694-S* accompanied by his wife will leave New York City on 4-17-64 for Chicago and will go abroad with his wife from Chicago on 4-17-64 en route to the Soviet Union on Solo mission 15.

ACTION:

For information.

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Date: 4/7/64

Transmit the following in _____
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

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ReBuairtel dated 2/5/64 and CGlet dated 2/27/64.

Referenced communications refer to the assignment given NY 694-S* by his Soviet contact requesting that as many of "our young people" as possible be encouraged to participate in the Foreign Service Scholar Program.

The above matter has been discussed with CG 5824-S* on a number of occasions, the latest being in early 4/64, at which time he had the following comments:

During discussion of this matter with NY 694-S*, both of them were of the opinion that since this matter was one of the utmost importance, its very nature would demand that the Soviet request for assistance be relayed to and that there would be complete approval by GUS HALL, the Party's General Secretary, before any action could be taken thereon. If at the time HALL is provided with this Soviet request he should refuse to go along with it, the matter would then have to end at that point. Not to follow such course of action at such a time would raise the risk of having a similar request transmitted to HALL from the Soviets possibly by individuals who, themselves, might have contact with the Russians in New York.

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Special Agent in Charge

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However, should HALL go along with the request of the Soviets, a formidable problem would be posed as how the acceptance of this Soviet request by the CP, USA might then be utilized by either CG 5824-S* or NY 694-S* to involve personnel of our (Bureau's) choice into the program.

Source noted that any person being recommended as satisfactory to the Party for such training would have to have the personal or tacit stamp of approval of the Party, GUS HALL. HALL must personally know of such people and/or have some other positive basis for evaluating such individuals. Any person being suggested for such a program would also have to be acceptable to the Soviets. This again presents a very definite problem because such things as religion and a middle-class background would almost automatically eliminate such individuals from consideration as they would be considered untrustworthy. Therefore, in order to find a person acceptable to the Soviets, such person must have a working-class background or connections and at the same time have some affiliation with liberal or progressive organizations by his own activities and/or through activities of relatives or close friends.

In the opinion of CG 5824-S*, he noted that he felt it was inherently dangerous for either himself or NY 694-S* to attempt to nominate any such individual on their own. He stated that he felt that if by chance one of their recommendations of such a youth should at some future date "backfire," this could have serious ramifications on the Solo apparatus and cause both the Party leadership here as well as the Soviets to question their capability, integrity, and qualifications to handle such matters.

He then noted that NY 694-S*, as an "apparatus man" and by virtue of the clandestine nature of his job, is not supposed to be exposing himself to Party people, sympathizers and/or situations which could tie him in with the Party and jeopardize his position. The source stated that NY 694-S*'s contacts and associations with individuals in the progressive or liberal areas would, therefore, almost be at a minimum and normally not have a basis for knowing such people or specifically recommending any person for the task under consideration.

As to himself, CG 5824-S* stated that by reason of his own Party position and contacts with the Party leadership,

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there would be a greater reason for him to possibly know or to be able to recommend such youths for the noted training; however, because he, too, has a Party position calling for covert and discreet relationships, he must also be cautious and avoid placing himself in a position which might expose his Party status. Because of this, then, and because of the nature of his assignments, he, in reality, has little association with the type of individual who might be characterized as a sympathizer and who would qualify for such an assignment. At the present time, he stated, he personally knew of no one who possessed the background and whom he felt could withstand the scrutiny that such individuals undoubtedly would be subjected to by State Department inquiries prior to their appointments for such scholarship training.

In view of the foregoing, CG 5824-S* stated that he felt that because larger things were at stake, he could not justifiably recommend that either he or NY 694-S* attempt to personally locate, solicit and/or give their personal recommendations to any individual considered for such an assignment. However, he felt and NY 694-S* previously had expressed this same thought that perhaps if the Bureau had certain cooperative and qualified individuals available to them, that it would be advantageous to exert some effort and guidance towards the admission of such individuals for this training. He noted that if the Bureau could find someone who qualifies with the proper working-class and political background and had someone who might be acceptable to the Party, perhaps then at some future time, through either CG 5824-S* or NY 694-S*, such individual's identity could be logically brought to their attention and through them brought to the Party's attention. In such a case they would merely be informing HALL of such an individual with the decision and final approval as to whether he could be recommended to the Soviets being left to HALL.

In connection with the above, CG 5824-S* noted that as of 4/2/64 he had not personally discussed this problem with HALL for his opinion thereon. The source was also unaware at that time as to whether NY 694-S* may have taken the matter up with HALL and if so what his reaction thereto may have been. Accordingly, New York may desire, if possible, to attempt to determine from NY 694-S* what action he has taken or may contemplate with HALL on the matter.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

4/17/64

1-Mr. Shaw

Airtel

To: SAC, Chicago (134-46-Sub B) PERSONAL ATTENTION

From: Director, FBI (100-428091)

SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Reference is made to the telephone call to Inspector J. A. Sizoo by Chicago SAC Marlin W. Johnson on 4/10/64.

Referenced telephone call was made in connection with a one-page, unsigned, handwritten document given CG 5824-S* by Gus Hall with the instruction "to see that it got to the right people." This document contained information reportedly furnished by [redacted] described as having spent much of her life in Japan where [redacted] was employed as [redacted] of "Stars and Stripes." [redacted] while in Japan, was a movie actress and had been engaged to a fellow American who, according to [redacted] was or is an agent of the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA). [redacted] has reportedly stated that this alleged CIA Agent had infiltrated the Communist Party of Japan and has recently returned to Japan to resume his activities.

Bureau files contain no identifiable information concerning [redacted] but one [redacted] as of 1956 was serving as Managing [redacted] of "Pacific Stars and Stripes," a U. S. Army paper published in Tokyo, Japan. [redacted] born 7/9/01 at Oak Grove, Oregon, was fingerprinted 3/25/57 in connection with employment by the

1 - New York (100-134637)

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Airtel to Chicago
RE: SOLO
100-428091

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U. S. Information Agency. His address at that time was shown as c/o "Stars and Stripes," APO 500, San Francisco, California. Thus, it appears that the information in the afore-mentioned document that [redacted] was employed by the U. S. Government as [redacted] of "Stars and Stripes" is factual.

For your information the Bureau is not taking any action to advise CIA concerning this matter since any inquiries made at this time could seriously jeopardize the security of our Solo informants, especially in view of NY 694-S*'s impending Solo mission.

If not already done, Chicago should furnish pertinent details to New York concerning the document given by Hall to CG 5824-S*. Follow developments in this matter closely and promptly advise the Bureau of any additional information received relating to this matter.

NOTE:

Memorandum Sizoo to Sullivan 4/14/64 set forth the details concerning referenced telephone call, and pointed out that there is no way we can furnish this information to CIA in any form or at any level without seriously jeopardizing the security of the Solo apparatus. Our informants have no choice but to furnish this document to the Soviets. To do otherwise could lead them into a trap. We are following developments in this matter closely and will further evaluate our position after NY 694-S* returns from his forthcoming Solo mission.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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TO : Mr. Conrad

DATE: April 15, 1964

FROM : C. F. Downing

SUBJECT: SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

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On 4/14/64 at approximately 3:45 P.M., Supervisor [redacted] New York Office, telephonically furnished the text of a message the informant desired to send and requested it be enciphered. At approximately 8:15 A.M., 4/15/64, Supervisor [redacted] was telephonically furnished with the enciphered text.

The plain text is set forth below. The cipher text is attached.

REFEREE (Central Committee) (space) SINCE THE MULE (McCarran Act) IN COVE (USA) PREVENTS ME FROM ATTENDING PERSONALLY AND FOR MY REFEREE (National Committee) COVE (USA) THE 70TH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION OF MY DEAR FRIEND AND COMRADE TUSK (Khrushchev) (repeat) TUSK, I HAVE DESIGNATED OUR MOST TRUSTED AND CONFIDENTIAL COMRADE SPRING (Jack Brooks) ON THAT DAY TO PERSONALLY HAND TO TUSK (Khrushchev) MY PRIVATE BIRTHDAY GREETINGS WHICH WILL EXPRESS MY DEEP, SINCERE FEELINGS AND THOUGHTS TO HIM FOR A LONG LIFE AND GOOD HEALTH, ALSO CONVEYING THE CORRECTNESS OF THE VIM (Marxism-Leninism) WHICH HE SO GALLANTLY SYMBOLIZES TO OUR LANE (CP) AND VINE (International) LANES (CP). BIRCH (Gus Hall)

ACTION:

For information.

Enclosure

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

Date: 4/8/64

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL REGISTERED
(Priority or Method of Mailing)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)
 SUBJECT: SOLO
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On 4/7/64, NY 694-S* furnished the following information to SAS ALEXANDER C. BURLINSON and JOHN DENNIS O'CONNELL:

On 4/7/64, NY 694-S*, pursuant to arrangements previously made with his Soviet contact on 3/31/64 (see NY airtel 4/1/64), met VALENTINE A. ZAITZEV in the stairway of the 15th floor of the building at 50 Broad St., NYC. ZAITZEV delivered to NY 694-S* a black attache case, stating that the bag contained the sum of \$165,000.00, \$15,000.00 of which was to be delivered to JESSICA SMITH, Editor of "New World Review." Pursuant to previously made arrangements, NY 694-S* gave ZAITZEV a similar-type bag which was empty. (The SN's on the above-mentioned bills, \$162,000.00 in \$20. bills, and \$3,000.00 in \$10. bills, which NY 694-S* made available to the NYO, will be checked against lists of currency issued to Soviet establishments in NYC and Washington, D. C., and if identified, the Bureau will be advised to that effect.)

- 3 - BUREAU (100-428091) (RM)
- 1 - CHICAGO (134-46-Sub-B) (AM-RM)
- 1 - NY 134-91- (INV) (41)
- 1 - NY 105-3571- (VALENTINE A. ZAITZEV) (341)
- 1 - NY 105-36402- (ALEKSEY M. KOLOBASHKIN) (341)
- 1 - NY 100-134637- (41)

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100-428091-3814

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Approved: _____
 Special Agent in Charge

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NY 694-S* advised that he engaged in no conversation with ZAITZEV other than that ZAITZEV indicated he had no knowledge of when any additional money for NY 694-S* will be forthcoming.

NY 694-S* then gave to ZAITZEV a roll of microfilm containing several messages, some ciphered, some coded, and some in plain text. The plain text of these messages is as follows:

(1) A coded message which was as follows:

"April 8, 1964

"Received \$150,000.

"J Brooks"

(2) A coded message which was as follows:

"Please Note

"Of the three buildings which you suggested to me for the next dollars transfer, I like the Marine Midland Trust Company building the best. I do not like the 5 Union Square Building because it has only one public entrance and the rear staircase is closed off on the fourth floor because of an office there. Also I do not like 276 Fifth Avenue because it has only one public entrance. I do not like the freight elevator exit there.

"At the Marine Midland Trust Building, as you know, there are two public entrances, one at 143 Liberty and the other is at 158 Washington. Also there are two staircases which are free and can be used for up and down, one on the Washington Street side and one on the Liberty Street side. Therefore I would suggest that we meet in this building in the following way: You go up to the 7th floor repeat 7th floor at the time agreed. I will come out from the men's room which is located to your left as you leave the elevator. Together we can go out by proceeding left from the men's room down the Liberty Street staircase. You can take either staircase we agree to without being noticed.

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"The Marine Building location is the most suitable area. There are about three streets to which you can go immediately, you can lose yourself in a crowd and, as you know, there are two subway systems available, there."

(3) A coded message which was as follows:

"I have been asked by Elizabeth Gurley Flynn to call your attention to the following. Her [redacted] is traveling with a friend, [redacted] through Africa and Middle East by car. They are traveling through these countries and would like to travel in the same manner and in the same way through the socialist countries including USSR. This is not a sightseeing trip on their part but their objectives and intentions are to write a book of their experiences when this journey is completed. Flynn's [redacted] has asked her [redacted] if possible can she request for her to travel by car through USSR. They ride during the day through countryside roads and camp by night. They have applied at your USSR Embassy in Beirut, Lebanon, for such permission of entry and travel through USSR. They were not granted visas or permission, but were asked to apply to other channels.

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"Elizabeth Gurley Flynn requests if it is in compliance with your rules and regulations and if it is possible, this personal request of hers be granted. It is not unusual for USA people, be they tourists or travelers, to go on such jaunts around the world. So far they have had no problem in going through the various countries and continents.

"I submit this request to you for Elizabeth Gurley Flynn and at the same time verify that Flynn's [redacted] is [redacted] whose picture is below with American passport number [redacted]. She is a resident of San Francisco, California, USA. They are not members of our Communist Party but [redacted]

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"Morris Childs"

NY 100-134637

(At the bottom of this message there was attached a photograph of [redacted] containing a notation - "San Francisco, Calif., & friend [redacted] Travelling from Africa through Middle East")

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(4) A coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"Central Committee

~~APPROX.~~

"CP member Otto Wangerin, 72 years old and a former railroad worker, is charter member of our Communist Party who was in charge of railroad organizing work in our Communist Party for many years, working together with CP member William Z. Foster who was his close friend.

"CP member Wangerin recently suffered an illness and while not completely incapacitated, his right side is paralyzed and he needs some therapy. We would like to inquire whether you might like to invite him to come for therapy and medical treatment.

"Until his recent illness he was in charge of literature and book store in our Midwest territory centered in Chicago. His wife, who is of Slav origin and speaks a little Czech, would accompany him if he should travel.

"A similar request is being directed to the Czechoslovakian Communist Party.

"With warm fraternal greetings.

"Gus Hall - Morris Childs
USA CP"

(Attached to this message in handwriting was the additional message, "Please send copy of this on our behalf to Central Committee- Czechoslovakian Communist Party"; signed "Gus Hall - Morris Childs")

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(5) A plain text message which was as follows:

"Note:

"Just to be certain we are in contact until the last moment -

"Should I want to give you anything of importance please look at phone booth WH 4-9530 for black tape - take the tape off - Monday April 13th 12 noon - This means on same night 6 PM you will find undeveloped negative at Siste_Margaret.

"Brooks"

(6) A coded message which reads as follows:

"Note!!

"Central Committee!

"Hold all mail addressed to:

"R. Basonov
Hotel Sovietskaya
Moscow, U.S.S.R.

"This will be from our Gus Hall and Morris Childs for Brooks."

(7) A coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"If all goes well we should arrive in Moscow the week beginning with April 26th. Please notify your Prague Embassy to have two floating visas for Brooks plus transportation to Moscow. Also, to have Czechoslovakian Central Committee representative meet us when arriving in Prague. Will phone you of our exact arrival time in Moscow from Prague.

"Brooks"

NY 100-134637

(8) A coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"Everything is still the same for contact with Morris Childs except if he wants to see you on May 7th it means the next day May 8th, 7 p.m. or May 14th means May 15th, 7 P.M. - Berkman.

"Brooks"

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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TO : Mr. Conrad *JWC*

DATE: April 14, 1964

FROM : C. F. Downing

SUBJECT: SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Captioned case involves the Bureau's highly valuable confidential informant NY 694-S* who has been receiving communications directed to him by radio.

On 4/14/64, transmissions were heard by the Bureau's radio station at Midland on scheduled times and frequencies at which time one message, NR 965 GR 130, was sent.

The plain text is set forth below; the cipher text is attached.

IN CONNECTION WITH INFORMATION ON WEED'S (Joe North) INTENTION TO ADDRESS TO SOME SOVIET WRITERS FOR THEIR WORKS, THAT MAY BE PUBLISHED IN THE FIRST ISSUE OF "DIALOGUE (repeat) DIALOGUE", PLEASE ADVISE HIM THAT IN OUR OPINION HE SHOULD ADDRESS TO SHOLOHOV (repeat) SHOLOHOV AND ROBERT ROZDESTVENSKY. IT IS WELL KNOWN, THAT ROBERT ROZDESTVENSKY RECENTLY WAS IN USA (repeat) USA AND WROTE MANY POEMS ON YOUR COUNTRY. PUBLICATION OF SOME OF THEM IN YOUR MAGAZINE WOULD UNDOUBTEDLY ATTRACT ATTENTION OF AMERICAN PUBLIC TO THE MAGAZINE.

"Dialogue" is the Communist cultural publication published in New York City, formerly called "Mainstream." SHOLOHOV and ROBERT ROZDESTVENSKY are not further identified.

ACTION:

For information.

Enclosure

1 - Mr. Belmont

2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)

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COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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TO MR DOWNING

FROM A W SMYTH

SPECIAL 2. STATION SENT FOLLOWING MESSAGE ON ALL THREE TRANSMISSIONS
THIS DATE----

NR 965 GR 130

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47462-58161-19249-96904-03962--48175-67007-26752-25333-72293
37490-20797-80782-20568-10403--10922-12143-59067-42757-21188

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100-428091-3815

ENCLOSURE

Date: April 10, 1964

To: Director, FBI

(Bufile : 100-428091-)

Attention : _____

From: Legal Attache, Ottawa

(100-1280)

<p>Title</p> <p>COMMUNIST PARTY, USA INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS</p>	<p>Character</p> <p>IS - C</p> <p>Reference</p>
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Enclosed are the following communications received from the [redacted] Three copies of [redacted] letter dated April 8, 1964, which is self-explanatory.

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Copy to CG + NY
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☒ info ☐ action
date 4/17/64
by WGS/ben

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- ☐ May be made as received
☐ May be made as indicated by stamp on enclosure
☒ May not be made without further clearance with [redacted]

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Following offices would be interested in receiving copies of enclosures:

New York

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- ☐ RUC
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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

Date: 4/20/64

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL REGISTERED
(Priority or Method of Mailing)BLAND
PP 5+7-9

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
(ATT: ASST. DIRECTOR W. C. SULLIVAN)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)

SUBJECT: SOLO
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W.P. 9/15/64 p7
G.A. 9/15/64 p7

ReNYairtel, 4/17/64, advising the Bureau with respect to NY 694-S* and his wife's itinerary and of certain documents he is to deliver to NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV and FIDEL CASTRO.

On 4/17/64, NY 694-S* furnished the following information to SAS JOHN DENNIS O'CONNELL and ALEXANDER C. BURLINSON:

Upon the instructions of GUS HALL, NY 694-S*, upon arrival in Moscow, is to deliver personally to Premier NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV a leather bound, specially made copy of a selection of drawings from "The Worker" published between the years 1924 and 1960. According to HALL, these drawings reflect the activities of the CPUSA during the aforesaid period. Written across the flyleaf of the above book appeared, "Warmest affectionate greetings on your 70th birthday dear Comrade Khrushchov." Beneath these greetings the signatures of the following appeared.

- 3 - BUREAU (Encl. 2) (RM)
1 - CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B) (Encl. 2) (AM RM)
1 - NY 134-91 (Inv) (41)
1 - NY 100-134637 (41)

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6 APR 23 1964

Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

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GUS HALL, ELIZABETH GURLEY FLYNN, HENRY WINSTON, HY LUMER, ARNOLD JOHNSON, BENJAMIN J. DAVIS, JACK STACHEL, JAMES E. JACKSON, ROBERT THOMPSON, WILLIAM L. PATTERSON, IRVING POTASH, DANIEL RUBIN, CLAUDE LIGHTFOOT, GIL GREEN, CARL WINTER, GEORGE MEYERS, DOROTHY HEALY, MORRIS CHILDS, MICKEY LIMA, JAMES WEST and PHIL BART.

HALL told NY 694-S* that all of the above signatures had not been written personally by the individuals whose names appeared on the sheet - that in some cases names had been "written in" where it had not been possible to obtain the person to write his own name in the book. NY 694-S* stated that upon HALL's instructions, the informant is to inscribe his (the informant's) own name in the book at the time when he presents the book to KHRUSHCHEV.

HALL gave to NY 694-S* a number of messages - one ciphered and the others coded - for transmission to the CPSU on microfilm:

1. The ciphered message, in plain text, is as follows:

"To CCCPSU

"Since the McCarran Act in the USA prevents me from attending personally, and for my National Committee, the 70th birthday celebration of my dear friend and comrade KHRUSHCHOV, I have designated our most trusted and confidential comrade Brooks on that day to personally hand to KHRUSHCHOV my private birthday greetings which will express my deep, sincere feelings and thoughts to him for a long life and good health, also conveying the correctness of the Marxist-Leninism line which he so gallantly symbolizes to our CP and international CPs.

"Gus Hall"

NY 100-134637

2. A coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"To CCCPSU

"Thank you for the translations which we are receiving now with regularity from your embassy in Washington, D.C. Our intention is to print Comrade Suslov's plenum report which will be printed in 'Crosscurrents'.

"Gus Hall"

3. A coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"To CCCPSU

"I have handed to Joe North your message pertaining to your first issue of 'Dialogue' concerning the authors who you want listed.

"Gus Hall"

(The above refers to a radio message from the Soviets, received on 4/14/64, which already has been transmitted to the Bureau, reflecting that the Soviets suggested that the Soviet writers ROBERT ROZHDESTVENSKY and MIKHAIL SHOLOKHOV be invited to write for the publication "American Dialogue" (Bufile 100-35634).)

4. A coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"Attention

"When I handed you the new and revised open code I omitted the following:

"Puerto Rico - Rock

NY 100-134637

"USA - Cove

"Correct error which I made - the correct name for Helsinki is Reef."

(The above refers to the informant's having given to his Soviet contact, at their last meeting, a revised open code from which informant had omitted to include code words for Puerto Rico and USA. The informant also had given his contact the incorrect code word for Helsinki.)

(Copies of the revised code used by NY 694-S* in communications with the Soviets are being furnished to the Bureau and Chicago by separate communication.)

5. A coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"To CCCPSU

"Permit me to comment on the false report of Khrushchov's death, which shook the USA and brought to light the delicate balance of forces here. This dastardly rumor had significant affect upon the country. As soon as this report came over the national radio and television, I received many telephone calls from radio and television companies, bidding for my time. In one case, the National Broadcasting Company asked that I sign an exclusive contract for a one half hour broadcast on the effects of Khrushchev's death on our land and on the world. Needless to say, the New York Stock Market dropped sharply on the day of the report.

"Gus Hall"

6. A coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"Note:

"Berkman next. Morris Childs knows routine. If and when you meet him you can discuss next contact place such as Dann."

[Handwritten notes:]

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2-4-68
Johnnie S. C.
W. J. Smith

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"This is the traveling companion of Elizabeth G. Flynn's [redacted] now traveling in Asia and the Near East. She is a CP member and a [redacted] on leave from San Francisco, California. Her name is [redacted] and is traveling with [redacted]"

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"Permit me to submit a cartoon, and I want to point out the serious humor of the newspapers in our land. This appeared April 14, 1964 in the 'New York Post'. What is interesting is that it points to the direction of the American popular thinking on the subject.

Beneath the above message appears a cartoon, depicting MAO Tse-tung holding in his hand a poster on which appeared the picture of KHRUSHCHEV under which was written "Nuclear Test Ban Treaty - More Consumer Goods". In the cartoon; MAO, speaking to two of his comrades, states "That's how decadence sets in - first he's in favor of living and now better living."

NY 100-134637

9. A document entitled:

"TO END POVERTY AND UNEMPLOYMENT IN THE U.S.
"Economic Program of the Communist Party, U.S.A."

and a document entitled:

"The Economic Outlook".

According to HALL, these are rough drafts of documents prepared at the recent NEC meeting held in NYC during early April, 1964. Copies of the above-mentioned documents are enclosed herewith for the Bureau and Chicago.

(NY 694-S* pointed out that to disseminate these documents at this time undoubtedly would jeopardize his and CG 5824-S*' security.)

HALL instructed NY 694-S* to "speak for him" in Moscow, explaining HALL's views with respect to matters of interest to the CPUSA and the CPSU. He told NY 694-S* to express his appreciation to the Soviets for all the help and cooperation that have been given to the CPUSA. HALL further told the informant to advise the Soviets that HALL has "no complaints" as regards the Soviets.

He instructed the informant to give to the CCCPSU a copy of the book "Judaism With Embellishment," by T. K. KYCHKO, along with a copy of a recent documentation of the book by the Director of "Jewish Minorities Research", MOSHE DECTER and a mimeographed copy of comments and translations of various chapters and cartoons in the book. HALL stated that this had been prepared at great expense by the Jewish Minorities Research and that the Soviets should be told that this group had gone to great expense in order to publicize the anti-Semitic question. He stated that he wanted the CCCPSU to see to what extent this committee had gone in conducting a campaign against the Soviet Union and in charging the Soviet Union with being anti-Semitic and persecuting Jews.

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He stated that the CCCPSU should be told that this committee is using the above named book in furthering the cold war. HALL stated that the Soviets however should be told that the book had lost much of its "sting" as a result of HALL's statement protesting publication of the book and the Soviet's statement published in Pravda admitting that the book should not have been published.

HALL's statement and the Soviet statement in Pravda were effective also in that Associate Justice ARTHUR GOLDBERG, who was to make a speech before a Jewish body at the time, had to change his speech and remove from it much of the sharp criticism which he had leveled at the Soviets.

HALL desired that NY 694-S* call to the attention of the CPSU that the Rev. MILTON GALAMISON has yet to receive an invitation to visit the Soviet Union, despite the fact that according to the Soviets such an invitation had been sent to him. According to HALL, he was advised by JAMES JACKSON, "The Worker" Editor, that as of April 16, 1964, GALAMISON had not received an invitation in the mail from the Soviets to visit the Soviet Union. HALL suggested that the Soviets will be making a bad mistake if they do not send such an invitation to GALAMISON, whom he described as an outstanding Negro leader.

HALL also instructed NY 694-S* to tell the CCCPSU that Freedomways magazine is a most successful publication, is highly publicized and has on its staff many intellectual writers. He referred to the readers of Freedomways magazine as "intellectuals". HALL instructed NY 694-S* to suggest that the Soviet writers union or their journalistic institution invite the staff of Freedomways, headed by Mrs. JAMES JACKSON, to visit the Soviet Union. He stated that Mrs. JACKSON ^{should} be permitted to designate others among the Negro progressives and intellectuals to accompany her to the Soviet Union.

With regard to the Catholic question, HALL instructed NY 694-S* to tell the Soviets that "the young progressive priests today are talking to the communists."

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Subj: [unclear]

With regard to trade unions, HALL instructed NY 694-S* to tell the Soviets that the Party has succeeded in making inroads into the United Auto Workers Union and is beginning to win back outstanding leaders who have been lost in the past.

NY 694-S*, while in Moscow, is to advise the Soviets that arrangements will be made for a secret meeting between GUS HALL and LESLIE MORRIS, Head of the Canadian CP, some time during the spring at some lake on the Canadian border. HALL also stated that while abroad, NY 694-S* ^{should} try to arrange a meeting between former CPUSA functionary JOHN WILLIAMSON, who is currently in England and is a member of the British Party, and HALL. HALL suggested that while en route from Moscow to the USA, NY 694-S* might go to England to contact WILLIAMSON regarding this matter.

HALL instructed NY 694-S* that while in Cuba, he contact BEATRICE JOHNSON, the CPUSA representative there, and ascertain what she might be able to do about arranging contact between the CPUSA and the South American and Latin American Communist Parties. He suggested that NY 694-S* not only talk to BEATRICE JOHNSON about this matter, but also to representatives of the Cuban CP.

HALL requested that while in Cuba NY 694-S* attempt to arrange a "system of consultation between the Parties in the Americas". HALL further suggested that NY 694-S* try to arrange that BEATRICE JOHNSON make periodic trips to Canada where she might personally meet HALL and furnish to the latter reports of interest to the CPUSA. HALL suggested that JOHNSON could fly from Cuba to Canada.

HALL requested that NY 694-S* ascertain in Cuba why there had been no mass reaction or fight as a result of the coup d'etat in Brazil in favor of GOULART and his party. HALL stated he wished to know why the party failed to "fight the militarists in Brazil".

NY 694-S* was told by HALL to inform BEATRICE JOHNSON and the Cuban CP leadership that the most recently formed Puerto Rican CP is "a fake" and has only 12 members. HALL stated that

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there are only small, insignificant groups of communists in Puerto Rico and that the CPUSA is attempting to unify these groups into one Party.

Referring to BLAS ROCA, Cuban CP functionary, HALL told NY 694-S* to ignore the leader completely. He said that ROCA is 'a crook'. ROCA, according to HALL, is angry with HALL because HALL learned years ago that ROCA had been absconding with funds that had been sent to the Cuban CP by the CPUSA and had stopped sending money after learning of ROCA's "crookedness". ROCA, according to HALL, has been the "iron curtain" between the CPUSA and the Cuban CP.

With regard to the letter (mentioned in referenced airtel) that NY 694-S* is to deliver to CASTRO, HALL instructed that NY 694-S* not exhibit the said letter to BEATRICE JOHNSON. In talking to CASTRO, NY 694-S* is not to refer to any aid given by the CPUSA to the Cuban CP in the past. He is to talk with CASTRO only on the basis of "the new era" and of what the future should be, rather than what the past was.

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TO : Mr. Conrad *JWC*

DATE: April 21, 1964

FROM : *P* F. Downing

SUBJECT: *0* SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Captioned case involves the Bureau's highly valuable confidential informant NY 694-S* who has been receiving communications transmitted to him by radio.

On 4/21/64 transmissions were heard by the Bureau's radio station at Midland at second scheduled time and frequency only, but no messages were transmitted.

ACTION:

For information.

2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)

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6:09 PM CST URGENT 4-19-64 RAM
 TO DIRECTOR AND NEW YORK
 NEW YORK VIA WASHINGTON ENCODED
 FROM CHICAGO 192319

SOLO, IS-C.

NY 694-S* DEPARTED CHICAGO AS SCHEDULED VIA TWA INTERNATIONAL
 FLIGHT 800 AT 3:15 PM THIS DATE ON FIFTEENTH SOLO MISSION.
 JOHNSON.

RECEIVED: 7:13 PM RDR

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

DATE: 4/22/64

FROM : *J.M.* SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)

SUBJECT: SOLO
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ReBulet to Chicago, copy to New York, dated 4/15/64, and CG airtel, 4/7/64, concerning the assignment given NY 694-S* by ALEKSEY KOLOBASHKIN, that as many of "our young people" as possible be encouraged to participate in the Foreign Service Scholar Program.

On 4/16/64, NY 694-S* advised that he had discussed with GUS HALL KOLOBASHKIN's suggestion, that HALL approved the suggestion, and instructed NY 694-S* to handle the matter.

Since NY 694-S* will be abroad for five or six weeks, he obviously will not be in a position to do anything in this regard in the immediate future.

The NYO concurs with the Bureau's decision that, in view of the many hazards inherent in this situation, which could adversely affect the security of the SOLO operation, the Bureau will not recommend that any of its sources participate in the Foreign Service Scholar Program.

On 4/16/64, when NY 694-S* advised the NYO of HALL's reaction to KOLOBASHKIN's suggestion, the informant stated that he was too busy preparing for his departure for Europe on 4/17/64 to formulate any plans with respect to what action he would take in compliance with HALL's instructions to handle this matter. The NYO does not know whether NY 694-S* and CG 5824-S* again discussed this matter in Chicago prior to NY 694-S*'s departure from Chicago for Europe.

In the event the Chicago Office is aware of any such discussion, it is requested that the Bureau and the NYO be advised with respect thereto.

- 2 - BUREAU (100-428091) (RM)
- 1 - CHICAGO (134-46-Sub B) (RM)
- 1 - NY 134-91 (INV) (41)
- 1 - NY 100-134637 (41)

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EX-102ROUTE IN ENVELOPE
FBI

Date: APR 21 1964

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plain text or code)Via AIRTEL REGISTERED MAIL
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

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During the period 4/17-19/64, while in Chicago prior to his departure on the 15th Solo Mission on 4/19/64, NY 694-S* was briefed by CG 5824-S* on some matters which were to be taken up with representatives of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union (CPSU) as well as representatives of other CPs with whom he might come in contact and/or items which the CPSU should be requested to transmit on behalf of the Communist Party, USA (CP, USA), to other Parties. The various matters discussed by CG 5824-S* with NY 694-S* had previously been raised with CG 5824-S* in the course of private, confidential meetings and discussions held in New York City which involved such individuals as ELIZABETH GURLEY FLYNN, Chairman; GUS HALL, General Secretary; and, HENRY WINSTON, Vice Chairman, CP, USA. All of these individuals were aware that the Party anticipated that in the immediate future some representative of the CP, USA would be traveling abroad and in a position to take up the handling of various matters for the Party with representatives of the CPSU and possibly other Communist or Workers Parties.

Some of the matters thus discussed with NY 694-S* during the period 4/17-19/64 were as follows:

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- 1-New York (100-134637) (Info) (RM)
- 1-Chicago

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Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

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1) According to GUS HALL, the first issue of the magazine "Dialogue," which is being brought out by the Party, is scheduled for 5/64 and it will publish 6 issues a year. The subscription price for this magazine is \$3 per year in the United States and \$3 a year plus postage if it is to be mailed abroad. no LCC

The CPSU, as well as any other Party with which there might be contact, should be informed of the pending issuance of this new magazine with the view in mind that if they desire, they might subscribe to it.

2) GUS HALL, on behalf of HY LUMER, Editor of "Political Affairs," would like the CPSU, as well as other Parties abroad, informed that "Political Affairs" is no longer published by New Century Publishers in New York but instead is now published by Political Affairs Publishers, New York City. It is desired that this information be conveyed so that when new subscriptions are sent in, they will be directed to Political Affairs Publishers and not in the former manner.

3) ELIZABETH GURLEY FLYNN would like the CPSU informed that the Soviet Consul in Beirut, Lebanon, who talked to her [redacted] recently in Beirut was one N. YULTCHINSKY. According to [redacted] and a [redacted] both of San Francisco, California, would like to travel to the USSR and other socialist countries and, therefore, it would be considered desirable if authority could be given for such travel by them.

LEBANON

(For additional details regarding this matter, see CGlet to Director dated 4/3/64 captioned "ELIZABETH GURLEY FLYNN; IS-C; ISA OF 1950 (OO:NY).")

4) HENRY WINSTON advised that HY LUMER, Editor of "Political Affairs," would like to have the Central Committee of the CPSU assign someone to prepare an article on the topic of "Automation and Socialism in the Soviet Union" which could be used for publication in a future issue of "Political Affairs." This request has HALL's approval and should be taken up with a representative of the CPSU if possible.

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5) When NORMAN FREED, CP of Canada representative to the "World Marxist Review," official theoretical organ of the international communist movement, which headquarters in Prague, Czechoslovakia, visited the United States in 3/64 to confer with certain CP, USA leaders, he requested some articles dealing with youth, automation, and trade union activities in the United States be prepared by the Party for publication in the "World Marxist Review." At the time, HALL assigned DANNY RUBIN the task of writing an article on youth; HY LUMER the task of writing an article on automation; and, BOB THOMPSON the task of writing an article dealing with trade unions.

FREED should now be advised that RUBIN has finished his article on youth and that it will be sent to the "World Marxist Review" in the very near future. LUMER and THOMPSON have not completed their articles and are still working on them.

(For additional information in regard to this matter, see discussions set forth with FREED in CGairtel captioned "SOLO; IS-C," dated 3/18/64 and enclosed informant's statement captioned "Request of 'World Marxist Review' for Articles from Representatives of the Communist Party, USA for Publication.")

6) The CPSU, according to GUS HALL, should be advised that the money, \$15,000, provided for JESSICA SMITH and the "New World Review," had been received. They should be further informed that the matter regarding the delivery of this money has been taken care of. PRAGUE, CZECH

(For additional information on this matter, see NYairtel captioned "SOLO; IS-C" dated 4/8/64.)

7) According to HY LUMER, [redacted] now has accepted a job with the Columbia Broadcasting System in New York City ^{NY} where he is working in a [redacted] capacity. [redacted] does not want to quit his job now and HY does not feel he is in a position to tell [redacted] to quit in order to accept the offer of the Socialist Unity Party of Germany (SUPG) to admit [redacted] to the [redacted]. It was, therefore, suggested that the cooperation of the CPSU be requested in order that a message might be conveyed to the Central Committee of the SUPG on behalf of the CP, USA which would be to the following effect:

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The Communist Party, USA appreciates the letter inviting [redacted] to come to the German Democratic Republic (GDR) for school. However, the invitation may have come too late for him to accept the offer at this particular time since he is now involved in new studies and in a new job. Every effort will be made, however, to see what can be done before the date suggested for his arrival in the GDR and it is remotely possible that he still may be in a position to accept the invitation.

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(For further details regarding this matter, see NYairtel captioned, "SOLO; IS-C" dated 1/22/64.)

8) According to HENRY WINSTON, one of the Nigerian exchange students attending a university in Chicago and who has been in recent contact with CLAUDE LIGHTFOOT in Chicago talked to him in New York City. At the time of their conversation, this Nigerian mentioned that he was affiliated with the Socialist Workers and Farmers Party of Nigeria. The Nigerian student noted that his Party was in need of a good mimeograph or printing machine and some spare parts. He had requested assistance in getting this equipment from the CP, USA. Subsequently, WINSTON took this matter up with GUS HALL who indicated he was agreeable to consideration of the Socialist Workers and Farmers Party of Nigeria request; however, HALL suggested that perhaps the Soviets should be advised of this request and that if they could handle it, this would simplify the matter. NIGERIA

Based on the foregoing, a message was prepared for transmittal to the CPSU which read to the following effect:

Central Committee
Communist Party of the
Soviet Union

Dear Comrades:

The Socialist Workers and Farmers Party of Nigeria has indicated it would like to have a good mimeograph or printing machine and parts. They have raised this with the American Party and we may do something, but if you could do something, it would be appreciated.

With warm fraternal greetings,

National Committee
Communist Party, USA

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(For additional information regarding the Nigerian exchange student and the Socialist Workers and Farmers Party of Nigeria, see CGlets to Director captioned, "Socialist Workers and Farmers Party of Nigeria" dated 3/12 and 23/64.)

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9) When NORMAN FREED was in New York in 3/64, he was orally informed that the cost of the CP, USA for the mailing of the ~~"World Marxist Review"~~ to various college and university libraries in the United States and to certain other individuals amounted to \$330.48 per month. He was requested at that time to arrange to have the CP, USA reimbursed on a regular basis for these costs.

Since reimbursement to the Party for the cost of such mailings of the "World Marxist Review" has not as yet been received, FREED was again to be reminded of this item and asked to see what he could do to expedite reimbursement.

(For additional details regarding this matter, see CGairtel captioned, "SOLO; IS -C" dated 3/18/64 and enclosed informant's statement captioned, "Results of Visit of Norman Freed, Communist Party of Canada Representative to 'World Marxist Review,' Prague, Czechoslovakia, New York City, March 10-13, 1964."

10) Prior to his return to the ^{MRS}United States, WINSTON had met with ~~HELGA LOHR~~, wife of ~~GEORGE LOHR~~, deceased, in the GDR. GEORGE LOHR had formerly served as the Berlin correspondent for "The Worker." In conversation with HELGA, she had advised WINSTON that she wanted to go to Mexico City and stated she needed such a climate as Mexico's because of her poor health. She presently has a passport issued by the GDR and indicated that they, the SUPG, were willing to help her to travel to Mexico City if the CP, USA had no objection. GDR

C.P. WINSTON advised at this time that HELGA LOHR is a member of our Party and pays her dues in the United States. WINSTON also noted that he had learned that HELGA LOHR is presently in Algeria. She is seeking to find someone or some way to return the ashes of her late husband to the United States.

WINSTON has discussed this matter with HALL and the latter individual felt that the Party should help LOHR get out of the GDR. In fact, HALL indicated that all those who

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belong to the CP, USA and are currently abroad should be helped by this Party if they express a desire to leave any of the socialist countries.

In view of the foregoing, a message was compiled which was to be turned over to the CPSU with the request that it be forwarded to the SUPG. The message so prepared was to the following effect:

Central Committee
Socialist Unity Party of Germany

Dear Comrades:

Comrade Helga Lohr, wife of George Lohr who recently died and who was The Worker correspondent in Berlin, is a member of our Party. We think her conversation with Comrade Henry Winston regarding residence in Mexico is a good one and would appreciate your expediting her travel there. We will be in touch with her from here as she is a member of our Party.

With warm fraternal greetings,

National Committee
Communist Party, USA

11) According to WINSTON, ~~GEORGE SISKIND~~, the brother of BEATRICE SISKIND JOHNSON, who is now "The Worker" correspondent in Cuba, a resident of Poland and a member of the Polish United Workers Party, would like to travel to Cuba. He has a son, mentally retarded, who is a native born U.S. citizen. Should GEORGE SISKIND go to Cuba, he would like to have his son come back to the United States.

In discussing this matter with HALL, that individual noted that since SISKIND is not a member of our Party but of the Polish United Workers Party, the CP, USA would have no recommendation or interest as to whether he does or does not come to Cuba. HALL instructed that the Central Committee of the Polish United Workers Party be advised accordingly either through direct contact or on a liaison basis through the CPSU.

12) [redacted] the [redacted] of BEATRICE SISKIND JOHNSON, current correspondent for "The Worker" in Havana, Cuba, who is now in the GDR, would like to come to the United States this fall, probably around 9/64, to see her father, ELMER JOHNSON, who resides in Chicago. BEATRICE JOHNSON discussed this matter with WINSTON and requested the CP, USA to give all possible assistance in expediting her daughter's visit. She suggested that the CP, USA specifically request the SUPG that they make every effort to facilitate JOSEPHINE's travel to the United States. GER
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WINSTON has discussed the above with GUS HALL and HALL noted that he had no objection to requesting assistance of the SUPG in aiding [redacted] to come to the United States to see her father. He noted that since she was a native born citizen, that perhaps when she gets back to the United States she will want to stay here. b6
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Based on HALL's authority, a message was prepared which is to be transmitted to the SUPG either personally or through cooperation of the CPSU. The message prepared was to the following effect:

Central Committee
Communist Party of the
Soviet Union

Dear Comrades:

[redacted] young [redacted] of Beatrice Siskind Johnson, the Worker correspondent in Cuba, desires to come back to the U.S. to visit her [redacted] Elmer Johnson, this fall. Our Soviet comrades are respectfully asked to help see that she gets back to the U.S. for this purpose. b6
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With comradely greetings,

13) Both GUS HALL and HENRY WINSTON are in agreement that "The Worker" must have a correspondent in the GDR as a replacement for GEORGE LOHR, deceased. WINSTON has suggested and HALL has agreed that they will designate one ~~VIC GROSSMAN~~ (ph), aka ~~ALLEN~~, as "The Worker" correspondent for the time being in Berlin. One other person also considered for this job was ~~EDITH ANDERSON~~, but she was rejected after their discussion. According to WINSTON, GROSSMAN, aka ALLEN, is a former American and currently resides in the GDR. He reportedly is willing to accept the assignment. U.S.

GROSSMAN apparently is known to HALL as that individual characterized GROSSMAN by noting that he was not the best person for the job but that he would be given the assignment for the time being.

Based on the above, it was suggested that the CPSU be requested to have the SUPG convey to GROSSMAN the information concerning the assignment given to him by HALL.

14) According to WINSTON, after consultation with GUS HALL, it had been agreed that GRACE GARDOS, a former American now in Hungary, would be officially designated "The Worker" correspondent in Budapest. In the near future her name will be carried on the paper's masthead as Budapest correspondent. U.S.

HALL has requested that the Hungarian Socialist Workers Party be advised of the intent of the CP, USA to utilize GARDOS.

(For additional information on this matter, see CGairtel dated 8/31/63.)

15) According to WINSTON, there is in Poland a group of voluntary exiles from the United States who were formerly CP, USA members and who now have joined together. Among them is GEORGE SISKIND. They would like to have a legal case commenced in order to straighten out their Social Security claims with the U.S. Government in order that they could draw their Social Security payments. They feel they have been robbed of personal property by the U.S. Government. WINSTON has discussed this matter with HALL and HALL felt that these individuals in Poland have a legitimate complaint and that it should be taken up on a personal basis with attorney MARY KAUFMAN in New York City. HALL stated

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that he felt that any legal action should be taken up under the names of the individuals involved and, therefore, they should write directly to KAUFMAN and hire her as their lawyer.

HALL then requested that efforts should be made to have the Polish United Workers Party communicate with SISKIND and convey his decision in this matter to him.

16) GUS HALL, after discussion with JAMES JACKSON, agrees that the Party should assign ~~GEORGE~~ PIRINSKY, a former American now residing in Bulgaria, the task of representing "The Worker" as its correspondent in Sofia. HALL suggested that a note to this effect be transmitted to the Bulgarian CP.

17) ~~JOHN~~ VAFIADES, a former American now residing in Prague, working with the World Federation of Trade Unions, had raised the question with WINSTON, prior to WINSTON's return to the U.S., that former Americans in Czechoslovakia should be allowed by the Czech Government to convert Czech Crowns into U.S. dollars in order that they could pay their Party dues in the U.S. HALL felt that VAFIADES' suggestion was a good one and felt that this matter should be taken up with the CP of Czechoslovakia.

In view of the above, it was decided that if possible VAFIADES' suggestion should be taken up with NORMAN FREED and he, in turn, should attempt to discuss this matter with his CP of Czechoslovakia contacts in an effort to get a decision on this matter.

18) ~~REBECCA~~ LERNER, a Party member in New York City, is dying of leukemia. She has a sister in Moscow known by the name of ~~GOLDIE~~ GREENBLATT. LERNER has submitted a request to the Party here that she would like to see her sister before she, REBECCA, dies. She has asked the Party to see what it can do to arrange for GOLDIE GREENBLATT to come to New York City for a week. HALL characterized LERNER's request as a humble one and suggested that the Party see what could be done for her.

Based on the above, a message to the following effect was prepared for transmission to the Central Committee of the CPSU:

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Central Committee
Communist Party of the
Soviet Union

Dear Comrades:

Rebecca Lerner, a comrade in New York, is dying of leukemia. She has a sister in Moscow named Goldie Greenblatt. Rebecca has sent a request that she would like to see her sister before she dies and could she be allowed to come to New York for a week. Your consideration of this request is greatly appreciated.

With fraternal greetings,

National Committee
Communist Party, USA

(For additional information regarding GOLDIE GREENBLATT, see CGairtel captioned "SOLO; IS-C," dated 9/4/63, and enclosed informant's statement captioned, "Goldie Greenblatt, Lenora Sarna, Adja Weisman, Former Americans Released from Soviet Prisons.")

19) According to GUS HALL, the Soviets should be reminded of the fact that [redacted] GIL GREEN, a National Party leader, left Chicago 4/16/64 and was expected to be in London during the latter part of April. It is most important that the Soviets see to it that arrangements are made for [redacted] to get to the Soviet Union before 5/1/64. He emphasized the same mistakes should not be made in connection with [redacted] visit as were made in connection with an earlier visit by [redacted] [redacted] a number of years ago. The Soviets should also be informed that the decision to bring GIL GREEN into the national center has been temporarily postponed due to the serious illness of GIL's wife.

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20) ~~ABE~~ CHAPMAN of Chicago, who had resided for a number of years in Czechoslovakia and returned to the U.S. in late 1963, is ill with a heart condition. This is not new but is something he was afflicted with while in Czechoslovakia. He presently is

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on medication of a type which is extremely costly but which is identical to that which had been prescribed for him in Czechoslovakia. As CHAPMAN has money in accounts in Czech banks, he has inquired whether it might not be possible to purchase certain medication, namely, 50 vials of Pelatan and 15 vials of Menprobomat, in Czechoslovakia and for payment of these purchases use monies in the accounts.

NORMAN FREED, who is in Prague, should be contacted relative to this matter and requested to take it up with Czech Party officials. If such purchases can be arranged, FREED should attempt to arrange for shipment of this medication through his channels to the U.S.

In addition to the foregoing, NY 694-S* was provided by CG 5824-S* with a number of items prepared by him. These were as follows:

- 1) A 5-page summary of GUS HALL's remarks made to the Executive session of the National Executive Committee, CP, USA, 4/3/64, based on CG 5824-S*'s attendance at this function.
- 2) A summarization in document form setting out the identity of the new membership of the CP, USA Secretariat and National Board and other structural changes in the Party agreed to at the NEC meeting 4/3-7/64.
- 3) A brief summary of the discussion on youth presented by DANNY RUBIN at the NEC, CP, USA meeting on 4/7/64.
- 4) A brief summary in document form of the agenda and problems discussed at the NEC, CP, USA meeting 4/3-7/64.
- 5) A message addressed to the Central Committee, CPSU, thanking the Party for material which they had sent to CG 5824-S*.
- 6) A 1-page item which was a verbatim copy of an information document prepared earlier by someone in the Party residing on the West Coast which had been turned over several months ago by DOROTHY HEALEY to GUS HALL which concerned one Dr. WELLINGTON CHUNG who died 10/28/63, as a suicide. The complete text of this item was furnished to the Bureau and New York by CGairtel dated 12/31/63 and enclosed informant's statement concerning same captioned, "Document Concerning Dr. Wellington Chung, Former American in Czechoslovakia."

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The only addition made to the above item as initially furnished by DOROTHY HEALEY was a comment that she had made to GUS HALL during 4/64. This comment appeared as the last paragraph in the foregoing document and read as follows:

"Unless there is some reply on this, we have heard that another member of the family intends to commit suicide."

The above is being furnished for the information of the Bureau and New York.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Mr. Belmont ✓
Mr. Mohr ✓
Mr. Casper ✓
Mr. Callahan ✓
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Mr. Tavel ✓
Mr. Trotter ✓
Tele. Room ✓
Miss Holmes ✓
Miss Gandy ✓

FBI NEW YORK

7-31 PM URGENT 4-16-64 DAE

TO DIRECTOR -7- 100-428091 AND CHICAGO

CHICAGO VIA WASHINGTON - ENCODED

FROM NEW YORK 100-134637

INTERNAL SECURITY-COMMUNIST

USOLO, IS-C.

New York 694-S*

NY SIX NINE FOUR S-ASTERISK ADVISED THAT IN A CONFERENCE WITH GUS

HALL ON APRIL FIFTEEN, SIXTY FOUR, THE LATTER STATED THAT

VICTOR RIESEL, IN HIS APRIL FOURTEEN, SIXTY FOUR COLUMN IN THE

"JOURNAL AMERICAN", DISCUSSED THE AGENDA AT THE RECENTLY HIGHLY SECRET

NATIONAL Executive Committee

MEETING OF THE CPUSA. HALL STATED THAT RIESEL, AMONG OTHER MATTERS,

REFERRED EVEN TO THE PARTY- S INTENTION TO PROPOSE A PRESIDENTIAL

CANDIDATE AT THE NEXT ELECTION, A MATTER, ACCORDING TO HALL, KNOWN

ONLY TO FOURTEEN OR FIFTEEN PEOPLE.

HALL STATED THAT ONE OF THESE FOURTEEN OR FIFTEEN PEOPLE MUST
HAVE "LEAKED" THIS INFORMATION TO RIESEL, AND THAT HE / HALL/ WOULD

"LEAVE NO STONE UNTURNED" TO IDENTIFY THIS INDIVIDUAL.

PARTICULARLY IN VIEW OF HIS SCHEDULED TRIP ABROAD WITHIN THE NEXT
FEW DAYS, New York 694-S* EX-103 REC-3 100-428091/3821
NY SIX NINE FOUR S-ASTERISK SAID THAT THIS INCIDENT HAS

UPSET HIM TREMENDOUSLY, AND HE INTENDS TO DISCUSS THIS MATTER WITH

Chicago 5821-S*
FIVE EIGHT TWO FOUR S-ASTERISK WITH WHOM HE INTENDS TO CONFER IN

CHICAGO BETWEEN APRIL SEVENTEEN AND APRIL NINETEEN, BEFORE LEAVING FROM

CHICAGO FOR EUROPE.

END PAGE ONE.....

RELATED TO

MR. BELMONT FOR THE DIRECTOR

53 APR 29 1964

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*New York 694-S**
~~NY SIX NINE FOUR S~~

~~S~~ ASTERISK SAID HE HOPED THE BUREAU IS NOT
RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS " LEAK" TO RIESEL, BECAUSE IF ANYONE IN THE BUREAU
*New York 694-S**
HAD DONE THIS, HE WOULD HAVE NO REGARD FOR HIS ~~NY SIX NINE FOUR S~~
~~ASTERISK~~ LIFE OR SECURITY. HE WAS ASSURED THAT THE BUREAU IS
NOT RESPONSIBLE.


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CC-MR. SULLIVAN

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*This is a highly
dangerous situation*


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Date: 4/15/64

Transmit the following in _____
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)
(ATT: ASST. DIRECTOR W. C. SULLIVAN)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)

SUBJECT: SOLO
IS-C

On 4/14/64, there was received from the Soviets, via radio, a ciphered-coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"In connection with information on Joe North's intention to address to some Soviet writers for their works, that may be published in the first issue of 'Dialogue', please advise him that in our opinion he should address to Sholohov and Robert Rozdestvensky. It is well known, that Robert Rozdestvensky recently was in USA and wrote many poems on your country. Publication of some of them in your magazine would undoubtedly attract attention of American public to the magazine."

It is believed that the Soviets mistakenly used the word "address" for the word "write" in the above message.

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Approved: *[Signature]*

Special Agent in Charge

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~~✓~~ The Soviet writer SHOLOHOV is probably identical with MIKHAIL SHOLOKHOV who has written for "Mainstream" in the past.

The Soviet writer ROBERT ROZDESTVENSKY is probably identical with ROBERT IVANOVICH ROZHDESTVENSKY who was one of the group of Soviet tourists in U.S. in 1963 (VISIT OF 67 SOVIET TOURISTS TO U.S. 1963; NY file 105-64154).

The publication "Dialogue" is identical with ~~✓~~ "American Dialogue", IS-C, ISA of 1950, ISA of 1950 (Labeling Provision); NY file 100-89571; Bufile 100-354634.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan *WCS*

DATE: 4/21/64

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner *FJB*
*5-6-64*SUBJECT: SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - COMMUNIST

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Baumgardner
1 - Mr. Shaw

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Casper	✓
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DeLoach	✓
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Gale	✓
Rosen	✓
Sullivan	✓
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Trotter	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Holmes	✓
Gandy	✓

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NY 694-S*, accompanied by his wife, departed from the United States on 4/19/64 en route to the Soviet Union on Solo mission 15.

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Informant expects to arrive in Moscow on or about 4/29/64. He will make stops in Rome, Paris and Prague prior to arriving in Moscow. Upon arriving in Moscow, informant will make arrangements to view the May Day parade and to thereafter take a ten-day pleasure tour with his wife of the Soviet Union. Upon completion of the tour, informant will make all necessary arrangements for going to Cuba to meet with Cuban Premier Fidel Castro. Informant is undecided as to whether he will take his wife to Cuba or send her back alone to the United States at the time he leaves Moscow for Cuba. It will depend on the condition of his wife and the turn of events after he arrives in Moscow.

Prior to informant's departure on this mission, Gus Hall, General Secretary, Communist Party, USA, gave informant for personal delivery to Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev a letter of congratulations from Hall on the occasion of Khrushchev's 70th birthday. Hall also gave NY 694-S* for personal delivery to Cuban Premier Castro a six-page letter from Hall, the purpose of which is to ameliorate relations between Hall and Castro. In addition, Hall gave informant documents addressed to the Central Committee of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union reflecting Hall's opinion with respect to various matters regarding world communism and introducing informant's wife as a trusted comrade of many years experience.

NY 694-S* has arranged to communicate with CG 5824-S* while on this mission through an open code. As a result we will be in a position to follow NY 694-S*'s activities while on this mission.

ACTION:

For information.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan *WCS*

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner *FJB*

SUBJECT: SOLO
INTERNAL SECURITY - COMMUNIST

DATE: April 22, 1964

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Baumgardner
1 - Mr. Shaw

Baumgardner
Shaw

This is to advise of the briefing NY 694-S* was given by Gus Hall, General Secretary, Communist Party, USA (CPUSA), prior to informant's departure on 4-19-64 on Solo Mission 15 to the Soviet Union. Hall instructed NY 694-S* to take up the following matters with the Soviets.

Greeting to Soviet Premier Khrushchev:

NY 694-S* was instructed to personally deliver to Khrushchev a leather-bound volume of drawings from "The Worker" published between 1924-1960 which reflect the activities of the CPUSA during that period. Written across the flyleaf appeared the following greeting, "Warmest affectionate greetings on your 70th birthday dear Comrade Khrushchev." Beneath this greeting was inscribed the signature of 20 CPUSA functionaries.

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Informant was instructed to express Hall's appreciation for all the help and cooperation that the Soviets have given the CPUSA, and to advise that Hall has "no complaints."

False Report of Khrushchev's Death:

As soon as this "dastardly" rumor reached the United States, Hall received many telephone calls from radio and television stations bidding for his time. NBC offered Hall an exclusive contract for a half-hour broadcast on the effects of Khrushchev's death on the United States and the world.

Jewish and Catholic Questions:

"Judaism With Embellishment" (anti-Semitic book recently published in Russia) has lost much of its "sting" as a result of Hall's public statement protesting publication of the book and the Soviets' statement admitting that the book should not have been published. These statements caused Supreme Court Justice Arthur Goldberg to change his speech before a Jewish group, eliminating much sharp criticism which he had leveled at the Soviets.

"Young, progressive Catholic Priests" today are talking to the communists.

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Memorandum to Mr. W. C. Sullivan

RE: SOLO

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Trade Union Matters:

The CPUSA has succeeded in making inroads into the United Auto Workers Union and is beginning to win back outstanding leaders who have been lost in the past.

Brazil:

Hall is disturbed over the recent "coup" in Brazil and desires to know why the communists failed to fight the militarists.

Puerto Rico:

The Puerto Rican Communist Party is a "fake" and has only 12 members. There are only small insignificant groups of communists there and the CPUSA is attempting to unify these groups into one Party.

Cuba:

Blas Roca, Cuban Communist Party functionary, is a "crook" and has been the "iron curtain" between the CPUSA and the Cuban Communist Party. Roca is angry with Hall because Hall learned years ago that Roca had been absconding with CPUSA funds sent to the Cuban Communist Party, and as a result Hall stopped sending CPUSA funds to Cuba.

Secret Meetings Between Hall and Foreign Communist Party Leaders:

Arrangements will be made for a secret meeting between Hall and Leslie Morris, head of the Canadian Communist Party, this spring at a lake on the Canadian border. Efforts will be made to arrange a meeting between Hall and John Williamson, former CPUSA Labor Secretary, who was deported to England, and is now an official of the British Communist Party.

ACTION:

Since it is not known what reaction the Soviets will have to these various matters, it is deemed judicious to await the return of NY 694-S* from his Solo mission prior to making any dissemination of this information. It is also felt that dissemination of this information prior to informant's return may seriously jeopardize his security.

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